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A volunteer helps sort and pack donated food last Monday at the Minden Community Centre. The volunteer was one of several who helped the Christmas Baskets bring food and gifts to over 140 families.

Residents respond to food drives

by Andy Holloway

Haliburton County residents were asked to dig a little deeper this year to help out their neighbors this holiday season and they have responded.

An extra 100 families this year applied to the Christmas Baskets Campaign in Minden and the 4Cs food drive in Haliburton. Despite the increase, Haliburton residents responded with more food, toys and clothing than ever before.

In Minden last week, the Christmas Baskets campaign organized by Ken Leonard packed boxes for 131 families, an increase of 37 per cent over last year's total of 93.

Over 300 hampers of food, toys, clothing and hand-crafts were put together. In total, 437 people including 197 children will be served by the baskets' campaign.

Across the county in Haliburton, the need was even more pronounced. Over 260 families were served by the 4Cs this year, a jump of 70 over last year's total of 190 said 4Cs chairman Bob Thompson. Each family will receive at least two boxes of food.

While the response from residents was good, Thompson said "It's sad that people have to respond in this way."

"The 4Cs are very grateful to everyone in the community. The support has been tremendous. Everybody we know of has been looked after."

Last Monday, 34 volunteers helped organizers Ken and Louise Leonard of the Sunday School Mission sort and pack the food and toys into baskets. Included in the number of volunteers were 18 students with most of them being from Archie Stouffer Elementary School.

Tuesday morning, 16 delivery vehicles were pressed into action to deliver the baskets around western Haliburton and parts of Victoria County.

The increased demand for the campaign's services was offset by the people of the county who came through with enough to ensure no one will be left without food and toys this Christmas.

As well as all of the food, Leonard said over $5,000 in cash was donated with much of it going towards the purchase of even more food, including enough turkeys to supply about two-thirds of all the families.

Leonard said the number of toys, books and arts and crafts made by both adults and children donated also increased.

"People do want to help," said Leonard noting that increased public awareness also helped the campaign achieve its goals.

"People gave in a lot of different ways this year," said Leonard thanking everybody who gave up their time, money or resources to others this year.

County's variance partially granted

by Andy Holloway

Haliburton County Council's request for a variance to see whether an addition could be built on the county's office was partially granted by Minden's Committee of Adjustment.

The committee granted the county's request for their front yard, but not for the side yard said county chief executive officer Gary McKnight.

The application for variance on the side lot was turned down because there would not be enough room along the side of the property to properly maintain the side wall. If it had been granted, the county would have had to step onto their neighbor's property for maintenance to their own building.

The decision will now go to the Ontario Municipal Board to see if there are any objections.

"The next step after that is council's decision on whether to carry on or not," said McKnight.

During November's county council meeting, councillors presented several options to solve their space woes. The three major options were to build a $100,000 addition to the present

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Haliburton man gets ten years for murder

by Jay Kerr-Wilson

A jury has found Willoughby Allen criminally responsible for the murder of his wife Isobel in March, 1991 and has sentenced him to ten years in jail.

Allen, 69, admitted killing his wife by hitting he in the head with a ratchet wrench in Haliburton on March 8, 1991, and on December 16 the jury found him guilty of second degree murder.

After the verdict was delivered, defence attorneys Paul Bennett and Maureen Forestall attempted to prove Allen was not criminally responsible for the murder because he was suffering from a psychotic episode when he struck the fatal blow.

According to the criminal code, a person convicted of a crime may be exempt from punishment if it can be proven that, due to a mental disorder, he did not understand the nature of his actions or realize they were wrong.

The court heard testimony from two psychiatrists, both of whom examined Allen. Dr. Adrian Hanick, testifying for the defence, told the jury the accused suffers from dementia and delusions and, at the time of the murder, had a brief reactive psychosis during which he "broke with reality" and killed his wife. Hanick said it was his opinion that Allen did not intend to harm his wife when he struck at her and could not appreciate that his actions were wrong.

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Looking back

You can say one thing about 1992, it was a year to remember.

Starting in January when we heard that Haliburton's jobless rate was over 30 per cent we knew it would be tough sledding.

A number of ugly issues raised their heads over the course of the year, some of them, like the fate of the Minden Hospital have yet to be resolved. Other issues like market value assessment stirred the pot and boiled the blood of many residents in the county.

The weather was not much help either. Did the sun actually shine in November at all? Where did the warm days of summer disappear to? Who knows.

The Times' Andy Holloway and Oliver Greer take a look at some of the issues that shaped 1992 on pages 4,5,8a and 9.

1993 can only get better. We hope.

The Times wishes you a Happy New Year!

Bread for books

County's library gets provincial money for faster book searching system

by Andy Holloway

The Haliburton County Public Library is receiving a provincial $4,000 grant to help speed up its inter-library loan computer system.

However, the grant was news to Haliburton County's head librarian Joel Levis.

"We put in for the grant, but the last we had heard was that all provincial grants were frozen," said Levis. "Thanks for the good news."

The grants were announced on December 9 by Ontario Culture and Communication Minister Karen Haslam. Levis had still not heard from the ministry by last Monday.

The money will be used to speed up libraries' inter-loan computer system across Ontario. A total of $506,524 in grants will be given to 170 provincial libraries to make Information Network for Ontario (INFO) system work.

Other library systems in the area to receive funding include the Victoria Public Library which will get $4,000 and the Lindsay Public Library which will receive $3,000. The funding is based on 60 per cent of the cost of implementing the system.

"We're cutting out the middle man," said Levis explaining how the system will be improved.

Formerly, when the library did a search for a particular piece it was relayed to every library and used up computer time.

Under the new system, said Levis, each library will be able to access the catalogues of 120 libraries on CD-ROM multi-discs directly and send out messages directly to individual libraries.

The system allows public libraries to catch up to existing technologies said Levis.

Eventually the system could enable public libraries to link up with public school, community college, university and special libraries as well as other information providers.

Santa Claus came a little early for June Philip of Minden. The jolly old man dropped by the Toronto Dominion Bank Wednesday to give her a cheque for $500 - the grand prize in The Times Hometown Christmas Promotion. Daisy Downs drew the winning entry.

Historic trial brings in guilty verdict

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The jury then heard testimony from Crown witness Dr. Andrew Malcolm who examined Allen on December 21. He testified that he found no evidence Allen suffered from dementia or delusions and said he did not believe the accused was psychotic at the time of the murder.

After hearing the contradictory evidence from the two psychiatrists, the jury deliberated for more than a day. Early Wednesday morning, the jury returned with their decision that Allen was criminally responsible for the murder of his wife.

The decision means the earlier conviction of second degree murder will be registered.

Allen was sentence to 10 years in jail, after which he will be eligible for parole. Corrections officials could decide to let Allen serve his time in a residential setting or hospital as opposed to him being sent to prison.

This case is historic because this is the first time in Ontario that a court has been asked to find someone not criminally responsible for his actions due to a mental disorder.

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Norland winter carnival provides competition for Minden's sled dog derby

by Jerry Grozelle

The Norland Winter Carnival/North Kawartha Frost Fest promises to have something to entertain everyone. The date for the 1993 version will be January 8, 9 and 10.

The carnival committee has a good selection of activities scheduled for the Friday to Sunday event.

Friday evening will get the carnival under way with a full costume skate at the Norland Community Centre from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. It will be for anyone aged 10 or older and everyone who shows up in full costume will be admitted free.

Prizes will be awarded for the funniest, ugliest, most original, silliest and best couple costumes.

A similar costume skate will be held on the Saturday from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. for youngsters aged nine and under. The same prize categories will apply except for the couples. Norland area seniors will judge the costumes.

A snowball game is in the works for Saturday from 1:00-2:00 p.m. Anyone interested in participating should contact Brenda Greer at the township office.

Depending on the weather, there may be a snow sculpture contest. The sculptures will be done the week before and will be judged on the Snow Fest weekend.

Those who attend the festivities on Sunday will have the opportunity to extend the Christmas spirit with horse-drawn sleigh rides.

Riley Rabbit has promised to pay a visit during the carnival as well.

SLED DOG RACES RETURN

For the second consecutive year, the Central Ontario Area Siberian Husky Club of Canada, in conjunction with the North Kawartha Snow Fest Committee will be presenting sled dog racing on Saturday and Sunday (January 9 and 10).

The four-dog open races will get under way at 11:00 a.m. both days.

Although the giant sled dog races will be held in Minden on the same weekend, organizer Tom Iliffe said that he expects a good turnout of competitors for the Norland event. He explained that the racers who compete in Minden are a different breed from the ones who will be in Norland. The dogs that will be racing at Norland are purebred Siberian huskies, while the Minden racers are special cross-breeds, bred specifically for speed and stamina.

"Most of the purebred drivers know they're not going to do much in Minden against the cross-bred dogs," Iliffe explained. "They're usually much faster than the purebred Siberians.

"The people who'll come to this race (in Norland) are pretty serious racers, but they know there's no point in racing in Minden."

The races in Norland (as well as those in Coboconk the following weekend) are not sanctioned by the International Sled Dog Racing Association (ISDRA) as the Minden event is. But Iliffe said that his group is looking into the possibility of getting a local circuit of races sanctioned by ISDRA.

This will be the fourth year the Siberian Husky Association has held races in the area and the second year in both Norland and Coboconk.

The racing is expected to last about 1-2 hours both days, depending on the number of entries.

Drivers will be competing for $2,000 in prize money as well as food for their canines.

Racers must be 13 years of age or older to race professionally. But there will also be some action for younger drivers as well. A Kid and Mutt event is also scheduled.

Another event that was popular last year, the weight pull contest, will be featured again. "It's pretty much the same as a horse draw, only with dogs," Iliffe said.

For more information regarding the North Kawartha Snow Fest/Norland Winter Carnival, contact Fay Brown at the municipal office in Norland (454-3814).

Sign of winter

Moving snowmobilers through the core area of Minden will be a little easier thanks to these signs. Haliburton County Snowmobile Association director Peter Overington displays the sign and map which will be placed on the HCSA trails on either side of the Sunnybrook bridge. The signs urge snowmobilers to take extra caution, respect the needs of thers and recognize that they are moving through a busy congested area. The sign will be posted on the HCSA trails behind the village well and behind the Dominion Hotel.

Addition moves forward

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office on Newcastle Street, build a new building or put it off for another year.

Council then instructed McKnight to proceed with a variance request for an addition to the county building. At the time, McKnight told council that he wanted to see whether or not a variance would be granted. If not, then that option could be scratched from the list.

Despite the fact the whole variance was not granted it was suggested by committee chairman J.B. Trepanier that the county could still build an addition, but make it longer.

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1992: Anno Horribilius?

Hospital rows

Never far from anyone's mind any time, health care in the Highlands moved to centre stage again this year. The county-wide Planning and Development Committee attempted to reconcile the needs and wants of the community with the provincial drive for financial restraint. The commitee approved the addition of approximately 15 long-term care beds to the Haliburton Hospital and began investigations into other ways of coordinating services and reducing health care costs.

The search for savings led some to be concerned about the future of the hospital in Minden. As the year closed, the community's doctors were still not convinced that hospital services in Minden were not one of the items on the chopping block.

Market value again

County council brought back the possibility of market value reassessment just in time to stir up the cottagers at their monthly meeting on May 20.

A narrow majority of councillors voted to proceed with plans to educate the public about market value before the county voted in October on whether to implement the plan or not.

There were a lot of rumours and conspiracy theories spread about the impact of market value, but in a nutshell the proposal simply redistributed the share of the tax load from businesses to residents. Market value would assess property at values based on 1988 prices which upset more than a few people who said 1988 was a peak year for real estate and should therefore not be used.

At public meetings across the county, residents made their opposition known and gave Assessment Officer Ron Young a hard time.

A few municipal councils, including Minden, officially jumped the gun by announcing their opposition to the plan before county had voted on it.

Despite all of the worries residents had, the proposal never had a chance of passing and on October 21, county council killed the proposal by an 11-5 margin.

Minden cuts ambulances

Another issue which lingered for several months in people's minds was the decision by Minden council to get out of the ambulance business.

The decision to give the ambulance service to the province was due to a lack of funding from the NDP government.

However, the province took its time in taking over the service. In May, the Ministry of Health was given 90 days notice by council that it was no longer interested in managing the service.

In early July, council issued termination notices to ambulance staff. Later that month, the ministry said it would take control by month's end. However, in mid-August, Minden council agreed to act as employer for the ambulance service for another three months. The ministry had requested six months.

For many weeks during the year, Rotary Park was innundated by the high water levels of the Gull River.

Labour dispute

The county office was the scene of a number of picketers in early June when staffing changes at Hyland Crest led to labour unrest.

The seniors' home decided to hire five full-time registered nursing assistants, cut the hours of existing part-time workers and not renew the contracts of five temporary staff. Hyland Crest Administrator said the changes were necessary to fulfil provincial requirements for a new method of funding.

Accord brought down

The Charlottetown Accord was defeated by 54 per cent of voters across Canada ending, for now, the constitutional debate.

The accord was designed to bring Quebec into the constitution, but was defeated in all provinces except three. In Haliburton County, 57 per cent of the voters turned the accord down, but in some areas, including Haliburton Village, the accord was accepted by a close margin.

The area's Reform Party candidate Barry Devolin said the no vote was a rejection of the leaders of Canada, both at a federal and a provincial level.

Prior to the vote, the Haliburton Yes Committee had been formed by some of the more influential politicians in the county and it had posters and buttons made up. Included on the committee were Chris Hodgson and Harry Davis.

Police oppose law

Several Minden OPP officers showed their opposition to new policing laws by wearing tiny blue ribbons on their uniforms.

The uniform violation showed the police's opposition to new provincial rules announced by premier Bob Rae requiring that officers fill out a report every time they draw their guns.

One officer actually drew his gun and faxed it to The Times with a note stating, "Dear Bob, Today I drew my gun. Here it is."

The OPP were also protesting a perceived lack of support from the provincial government

MP announces retirement

Haliburton-Victoria member of parliament Bill Scott, the archetypal back bencher MP, quietly announced his retirement from federal politics at an unpublicized riding meeting.

Scott has been an MP for 27 years for the Conservative Party, the second longest current consecutive period of service in the house behind only Herb Gray of the Liberals. His retirement is effective when the next election is called, possibly this spring.

Despite the Conservatives' past and current unpopularity, Scott always managed to win his riding. Never a member of the cabinet, Scott managed to keep his distance from the party while retaining the characteristics that always managed to get him elected.

His friendly personality and his knack of never forgetting a name always kept him one step ahead of his rivals.

Scott served as a parliamentary secretary for the Minister of Veteran's Affairs and deputy critic for National Revenue among some of his positions of responsibility.

Expansion options

County council needs more space, however no one seems to know the best way to go about it.

In November, county councillors brought up three different plans, but could not decide what to do. Some members wanted the county to build a new county building which would also create jobs in the community while others wanted to just build an addition to solve short-term needs without spending large amounts of money. Still others wanted to put it off until next year to see whether the economy improves.

Council did give permission for Chief Administrative Officer Gary McKnight to pursue a variance for the county building. A partial variance was granted after concerns over maintenance of the addition stopped Minden's planning committee from granting the whole variance.

Junior kindergarten returns

Thought lost when Bill 20 died on the order papers, junior kindergarten returned to the provincial agenda in November with Bill 88.

The province also granted funds to school boards to help deal with the extra accommodations needed to house all of the new students further fueling speculation that this time junior kindergarten is here to stay.

Haliburton County's school board remained very opposed to the plan, but in December decided to have administration come up with an implementation plan for junior kindergarten.

Junior kindergarten is scheduled to begin by September, 1994

Hodgson new warden

Dysart's Reeve Chris Hodgson was appointed the county's new warden replacing George Simmons on December 7. The new warden said he wants to keep expenses down by cutting inefficiencies and selectively solving problems.

"It's better to do a few things well than many things half-funded," Hodgson told his fellow councillors.

In the upcoming year, Hodgson said he hoped the individual municipalities would join together as a unified voice and put aside their differences and rivalries for the common good of the county. The new warden also said council had to remember the economic realities that face the county before making any major financial moves.

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Community rallies behind birthday parties

Jobless rate skyrockets

Haliburton County's jobless rate hits 30 per cent. According to Jane Selby of the Haliburton County Employment Services office 1,447 people were looking for work as 1992 began. This figure represented 32 per cent of the county's workforce of 4,500.

Centre grows

Minden's community centre expansion was unveiled at a special grand opening ceremony on Thursday, January 23. The $560,000 project enlarged the main room of the facility and added a basement area. MP Bill Scott attended the ceremony and praised all the dedicated people who worked hard on the project.

Aid Society slashes budget

The Haliburton office of the Chilren's Aid Society closed at the end of February and two jobs were lost in the county as part of a massive budget cut by the agency.

The society was told by the government to cut $500,000 from it's annual budget and the agency announced that 17 jobs would be cut in the three counties it served; Peterborough, Victoria and Haliburton.

Delta takes over PineStone

Canada's largest privately-owned hotel chain announced it was taking over the management of Haliburton County's largest resort on Friday, March 13.

"Although Delta typically manages hotels under the Delta flag, both the owner and Delta felt it would be best to run the PineStone Resort and Conference Centre under its original name in order to capitalize on the reputation and ambiance its loyal customers have come to know," said Simon Cooper, president of Delta Hotels and Resorts.

In May, the area received a jolt when Hart Lodge was placed in receivership as the recession took its toll on the tourism industry. The lodge has not been reopened.

Students to stay in Minden

The school board decided not to change J. Douglas Hodgson Elementary School into a junior high school for all the students in Haliburton County.

The board changed its decision because of pressure from area parents and children who didn't like the idea of busing grade 7 and 8 students to Haliburton. Instead the decision was made to build additions to each school affected by overcrowding. The board plans to build a $3.5-million addition to Archie Stouffer Elementary School that will consist of 12 extra classrooms and a double gymnasium. It also includes the conversion of the existing gymnasium to a library.

Say cheeeeeese

Hundreds at the Canada 125 community picnic gathered around a gigantic Canadian flag to have their picture taken.

High school semestering

The Haliburton County Board of Education approved a plan to introduce a semestering system at the high school in September of 1993. At present students take eight courses which run from September until June. Under a semestered system, students will take four courses from September to December, and four courses from January to June. With this change the length of each class will increase from 40 minutes to 76 minutes.

Exceptional children awards

The Victoria-Haliburton chapter of the Council for Exceptional Children (CEC) held its first Awards Celebration on May 31 at The Eganridge Inn and Country Club, between Fenelon Falls and Bobcaygeon. Among the 12 young people honoured with "Yes I Can" Awards, were three from Haliburton County, Jarett Gentle, Laura Plouffe, and Stephen Stevens. Five people were recognized for "outstanding service and support of exceptional children." Two of those recipients, Chris Duchene, and Shelley Billings, are from this area as well.

Canada's birthday

Minden celebrated Canada's 125th birthday in style with two excellent full-scale parties. The first party was on June 14 and was an old-fashioned community picnic organized by Autumn Davis and Carol Miles. Hundreds of people came out to celebrate by taking part in a horseshoe tournament, tug-of-war and devouring a huge birthday cake. Davis later won a federal government award for her organization of the event.

The second party was held on July 1 and once again the whole town turned out for the celebration. Unlike the picnic, this event was held at various places in town, all organized by Lisa Connelly. Both parties proved that Minden can rally togther and put on a good show.

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Editorial

Additional sales tax will kill economy

As if free trade and the GST weren't enough, now there's a rumour that the provincial government is planning to increase its sales tax another one-and-a-half per cent.

While we recognize there is a need to raise additional funds in some way to reduce the mind-boggling provincial deficit, this is certainly not the way.

The provincial NDP government has long claimed it is not anti-business, that it represents all people equally and is supposed to be the kinder, gentler political party.

A nine and-a-half per cent sales tax would certainly cast more than a shadow of doubt on all three of those claims.

There is already a reluctance on the part of many people to spend money in a recession, despite the fact their dollars are needed more than ever to boost the flagging economy. How many more businesses have to go under before governments realize they are taxing people out of the market.

The people who work in these businesses will also be affected when they are fired, laid off or downgraded to part-time status. It stands to reason that without a job, an individual will spend even less money. Spending less money at stores will mean less sales tax is being collected, completely opposite to what the government intended to achieve-namely to raise additional revenue.

Sales taxes are not based on the ability to pay. They affect everyone. Those who make less money actually spend a higher percentage of their total disposable income on sales tax as it is. We suggest the government find another way to raise money.

Perhaps taxing those who are currently escaping the system, courtesy of loop-holes, would be a better place to start. Or why not cut MPs' salaries. They earn far more than the average person. Even better, would be to place more pressure on the federal government, whose policies have hurt Ontario the most during the current recession, but who have yet to grant the province any favours.

Ontario contributes far more in tax money than it gets back. This is patently unfair. When Ontario was rolling along living off its heavy industrial base, it could afford to have money siphoned off to needier areas. Now that the industry is fleeing the province, thanks to its high taxes and free trade, it is the needy area, but no one seems to want to return the favour.

Fair Tax Commission looks into reader's complaints

The following was sent to John Hill in response to a letter he sent to the Fair Tax Commission and reprinted in The Times on November 23.

Dear Mr. Hill:

Thank you for writing to the Fair Tax Commission to express your concerns about the way in which property assessment determines provincial subsidies to municipalities and boards of education.

The commission has been created to provide the Ontario government with advice on how to design and implement a fair tax system. This will be accomplished through extensive research and by engaging a broad cross-section of people in the inquiry process. This approach is crucial to determine what the public thinks is fair.

As you may be aware, the working group dealing with property tax has come to closure, and their final report, which has examined the issue outlined in your letter, has been submitted to the Treasurer. However, because your ideas are important to us, the views expressed in your letter will be forwarded to the commission and will inform the development of the commission's final report, due to be presented to the Treasurer in the fall of 1993.

Some general information on the Fair Tax Commission and the highlights of the property tax working group are enclosed. Your name has also been added to our mailing list to receive our newsletter and to keep you informed about other opportunities for participation, including appearing at public hearings scheduled for the spring of 1993.

Once again, thanks for your interest and for bringing your concerns to our attention.

Yours sincerely,

Hugh Mackenzie
Executive Director
Fair Tax Commission

Opinion

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Taxpayer to Minden: Take my money, please

Editor:

I have been a taxpayer in the Township of Anson, Hindon and Minden since buying a property on Mountain Lake in 1976. In the intervening 16 years, I have made virtually every tax payment on time. During the last year, due to the recession and significantly reduced wages I was only able to make my summer tax instalment in September.

Given the economic situation, virtually all my bills went unpaid for several months. In September I paid up all my outstanding accounts and requested that payment of these accounts represent payment in full including interest. This was accepted by everyone except the Township of Anson, Hindon and Minden.

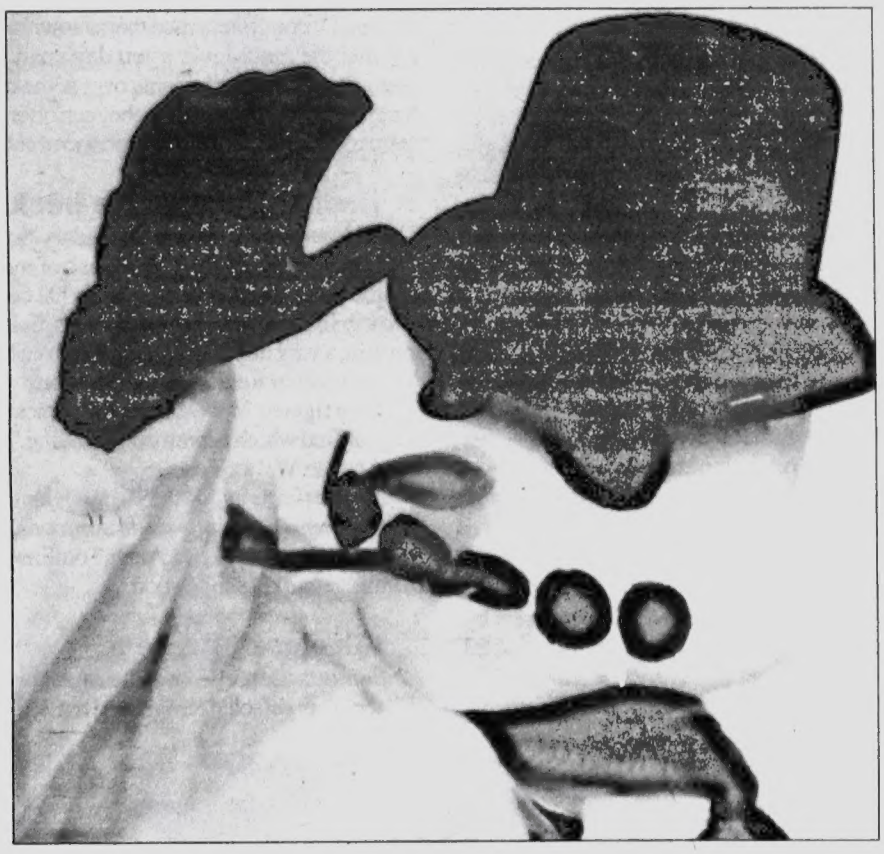
Subsequently, I wrote a letter explaining the particulars of my economic situation and again enclosed a cheque in the full amount of the original tax bill. Again, the township refused to accept the cheque.

It seems not only ridiculous, but an insult to not accept payment of taxes from a taxpayer who is doing his best to make the appropriate payment and who in 16 years never before incurred a late payment penalty.

The council would be better served by controlling its spending, and other issues, before insulting a taxpayer over about $5 in late payment charges.

Yours very truly,

George L. Stevens
Mountain Lake



Happy New Year

Drainville earns praise

Editor:

During the recent debate in the provincial legislature regarding Bill 75, "An act respecting annexations to the City of London and to certain municipalities in the County of Middlesex", Dennis Drainville, MPP for Victoria-Haliburton, demonstrated considerable courage and integrity in opposing the bill.

It is hoped that by his action and that of other members who opposed the legislation that other municipalities may be alerted to the lack of protection accorded agricultural land and rural interests.

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CBC's war flick garners criticism

Editor:

Re: The Valour and the Horror

The issue of the morality of the Canadian participation in Bomber Command and the battle of Normandy in the Second World War deserves fuller examination.

Brian McKenna, producer of the series, continues to insist that his film contains no major inaccuracies. His term is that his research is "bulletproof". This despite two reports by the CBC Ombudsman which are critical of the series. The second report was in response to a rebuttal prepared by McKenna and his associates.

In order that these matters may be more fully explored, we have prepared a 60 page book based on our own extensive research.

We believe that many readers of Canadian weekly newspapers have a very real interest in these matters.

Responsible persons who have seen the initial draft of the book consider that it is an excellent exposition on the morality of bombing German cities during the Second World War.

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War Amps of Canada

Miniature golf stories just don't cut it

Black 'n White
by Arthur Black

I'm going to warn you right off the top. If you don't care for four-letter words, you'd better turn the page right now.

This column is devoted to one of the dirtiest four-letter words ever to dog-paddle up to the surface of the semantic cesspool known as the English language.

Still reading? OK, you asked for it.

This column is about golf.

I know, I know ... it's not exactly ideal golfing weather, what with the greens being covered with half a foot of white and kids playing pick-up hockey on the water hazards.

But the kind of golf I want to talk about goes on year-round, rain or shine, blizzard or drought, day or night.

I'm talking about miniature golf.

Has anyone ever come up with a dopier way to make us while away our excess leisure hours? Can you imagine Alexander the Great or Mary Queen of Scots creeping avidly along a swatch of indoor-outdoor carpeting? Chipping feeble shots off garden gnomes and plastic palm trees? Banking putts off plywood windmills? Driving their balls deep into sand traps the size of bathmats?

Well, perhaps Mary Queen of Scots. The lady was an avid golfer. In fact, legend has it that she was out swatting a few ball just a couple of days after her husband died.

But that's not callous. That's what golfers are like.

There is the story about the golfer who was out on the course with his wife and he came to his ball lying about 60 yards from the fourth hole. Trouble was, there was a huge barn between the ball and the hole. He was about to play around the barn when the caddy said, "Hold on. I believe you could hit your ball through that barn window and clear through the open door on the other side. That should put you right on the green!"

Well, the golfer teed up and let go with a blistering drive. It went screaming through the barn window, caromed off a hay baler, ricocheted off a bran beam and cam straight back out hitting the golfer's wife right between the eyes and killing her instantly.

Ten year later, the same duffer - older, grayer, sadder and widowed, but still golfing - found himself in exactly the same situation: 60 yards from the fourth hole, lying in the shadow of the same massive barn.

His caddy said, "Why don't you try hitting your ball through that barn window there? It'd go right through the open door on the other side and put you right on the green!"

The sad old golfer dropped his iron, fell on his knees and began sobbing uncontrollably. The caddy rushed over to comfort him.

"What's the matter?"

"Ten years ago my wife and I were right here," groaned the golfer between sobs, "I had the same shot ... and I triple-bogeyed the hole!"

But hey, I digress. I wanted to talk about miniature golf. I especially wanted to try and figure out why it's so popular.

The game was invented back during the First World War at Pigeon Forge, Tennessee. A landowner by the name of James Barber thought it was too hot to walk a full 18 holes, so he called in some workmen and had them lay out a shrunken course on his front lawn. The madness spread. By 1930, you could find 4 million North Americans on any given night, hunched over their putters on miniature courses around the country. The game's just celebrated its 75th birthday and it looks like it's more popular than ever.

So what's the attraction? Well, it's easy to be good at Miniature Golf. You can play with your kids, your granny, a war amp - anybody. You don't have to be a youngster either. There's a guy in Myrtle Beach who regularly beats the cleats off all comers on one of the towns 50 miniature golf courses. He is 93-years-old.

Old duffers need mini golf for the day when real golf gets too hard. You heard the story about the two oldsters, Eddie and Moe, who played as a team?

Eddie, 76, could drive like a pro, but his eyesight was bad. Moe, 81, couldn't hit worth a darn, but his eyes were as keen as eagles. So Eddie tees up and smacks a beauty. And Moe shades his eyes as he watches the ball soar.

"Did you see it Moe?" asks Eddie.

"Yeah," says Moe. "Real good."

"Well," says Eddie, "Where did it go?"

And Moe pauses for a moment and says, "I forget."

The year in review.....The year in review

High school athletes earn top marks

Redmen finish first

The Haliburton Highlands Redmen finished up the regular hockey season with a 13 goal blitz against Adam Scott Collegiate of Peterborough. The win assured the Redmen a first place finish and preserved their undefeated regular season record. Once the play-offs began however the Redmen didn't fare so well as they were eliminated in two straight games by the bruising play of the Kenner Secondary School team.

"We're proud of the boys," said assistant coach Paul Morissette. "This is the first time we've led the league at the end of the season."

This year, the Redmen won their first five games, but lost their next five. In between, the team found time to win the Can/Am Challenge Cup in Lake Placid, New York.

Local team places tenth

A team of local drivers sponsored by Prentice-Berry Ltd. finished tenth out of 23 teams in the gruelling Harricana snowmobile endurance competition. In The Harricana, teams of three drivers race their snowmobiles against the clock over a ten day span. The course takes the participants over some of the toughest territory central Quebec can offer. The team rode Mach I XTC Ski-Doo snowmobiles.

Redmen heat up the track

Haliburton Highlands Secondary School once again proved equal to the task of matching the best in track and field at the '92 central Ontario finals. Out of the 42 students Haliburton sent, a very impressive 35 of them qualified for the Eastern Regionals in Kingston.

"We figured 24 would qualify at most, but 35 qualified which is pretty outstanding." said track coach Walter Tose.

Top performers for the Redmen included the relay teams, senior Arlene Simmons, junior Chris Greenfield and Anna Tomlinson in the midget girls' competition.

Athletes of the year

Seniors Danielle LaRue and Derick Wilson were selected female and male athlete of the year. Both confessed great surprise at being picked.

"I feel I'm not outstanding in any one area," said LaRue who was involved with the curling, track, field hockey and badminton teams. "There were a lot of people who had great years and could have won the award. Chris Greenfield had a really good year and I'm surprised he didn't get it," said Wilson. Wilson was named most valuable player on the senior badminton team and also played football and hockey.

Running free

Wet weather slowed down the runners in the Heineken Yard, but one record was set when Alison Wiley shaved two seconds off the open women's record with a time of 25:01. In the open men, Tony Brunner won the race with a time of 22:56.

In the Haliburton Rotary Mile Donna Levy destroyed the previous record by 29 seconds with a time of 4:50. Two-time winner Rick Harris won the men's mile with a time of 4:22.07.

Active seniors

District 11, including Haliburton and Muskoka, sent 35 people to Actifest '92, the Ontario Seniors Games, during the last week in August. While no one from Haliburton County brought home a medal, many of the athletes had impressive showings and everyone had a great time.

Outdoors card

The Ministry of Natural Resources introduced an Ontario outdoors card which cost $6 for anyone seeking a license to hunt or fish. A person wanting to hunt or fish in Ontario will also have to buy the required license as always, but will not receive a paper license. A separate card will be issued for anglers while a combination card will be sold for hunters and anglers together.

A local outdoors club was formed in September to represent the hunters and anglers who pursue their sport in the county. The new group called the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association signed up 150 people at its first public meeting.

Hustling Hustlers

The Minden Rockcliffe Hustlers made it to the finals of the Tri-County Fastball League, but lost the championship in two straight against Fenelon Falls in the frigid September air. The Hustlers had finished second with a record of 9-7 in the four team league with Fenelon finishing first. In the semi-finals, the Hustlers took three of four against Lindsay to move onto the final round.

Football teams undefeated

The senior HHSS Redmen football team cruised to the Kawartha West championship with a 32-0 pasting of the Fenelon Falls Falcons. With the win, the Redmen, who were undefeated during the regular season, did not have to play a play-off game to win the title under league rules.

The juniors dug deep in their game against a strong Fenelon Falls squad to win 21-0 and take the Kawartha West division and also go undefeated in the regular season.Both teams lost against stronger opponents from Peterborough in the Central Ontario finals.

Undefeated during the entire season the Junior team, featured above, and the senior team at HHSS took all the marbles.

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The year in review.....The year in review

Lousy weather raises water, lowers spirits

Derby postponed

The Minden Sled Dog Derby was postponed in January due to a lack of snow.

Organizers were forced to reschedule the event to the second week in February because of continued mild conditions and insufficient snowfall.

It was only the second time in the eight-year history of the event that weather conditions affected the derby. In 1989, the derby was postponed due to icy conditions.

Stu Brandon, a member of the organizing committee, said the decision to postpone the race was the correct one and was based on concerns for the safety of the animals.

When the event did take place on February 15, there was plenty of snow as a storm hit the county.

Gypsy Moth program dusted

1992 was the last year the Ministry of Natural Resources participated in the Gypsy Moth spray program.

The decision came in February after the MNR replaced its Gypsy Moth Management Committee with a Forest Health Committee. At first, the MNR had said it would just cut funds for 1992 program, but it later pulled out entirely. In its place, the ministry offered the forest health information program to those municipalities which were part of the Gypsy Moth spray program.

The province continued to fund the administrative costs of the program for six months and then pulled out completely.

In 1991, the MNR spent about $4 million to spray for Gypsy Moth and spokespeople for the ministry said they were concerned about increasing program costs and new evidence which suggested that the moths were not causing as much damage as initially thought.

Dysart and MNR clash

Dysart council entered a battle with the province and the Golden Lake Reserve natives for the right to continue hunting in Clyde-Bruton townships which are part of Algonquin Park.

Dysart contended that the land was given to the park in 1960 as long as Dysart's residents could continue to hunt and fish in the area.

Park superintendent Greg Martel said the province had the right to change the rules in order to respond to public wants and needs and questioned whether Dysart had hunting rights forever.

The Golden Lake natives say the land historically belongs to them as part of a much larger area that includes most of the Ottawa Valley and Algonquin Park.

The battle continues.

Dorset police station burned

The Dorset community police station burned to the ground on May 24, just one week after it was officially opened.

The fire destroyed the office and caused about $30,000 in damages. A new building rose out of the ashes five months later.

The building was insured and arson was determined to be the cause of the blaze by the Ontario Fire Marshall's office.

The original building was a refurbished rink shack across from the Dorset Recreation Centre. Most of the materials and labour were donated by area residents and the renovations cost $6,000.

While out of their office, OPP continued to work in the area using the Sherborne township offices as a base.

Lutterworth office set ablaze

Lutterworth municipal workers found themselves without a home when their office was set on fire during the early morning hours on September 20.

The Minden Fire Department were quickly on the scene and along with help from Stanhope's fire department battled the blaze.

Damage from the fire was limited to a few areas, most noticeably under the steps to the basement and to the ceiling and floor areas adjacent to the steps. No one was injured in the fire.

Heavy smoke and water damage to the building kept office workers in a portable trailer while repairs were undertaken.

Sinking feeling

Gull River overflowed its banks as the Trent-Severn Waterways Commission tried to allow trout to have a proper spawning season over the Thanksgiving holidays.

The TSW was trying to lower the level of Haliburton area lakes so that trout spawn would have a chance to survive the autumn season. A very rainy summer pushed lake levels to the limit which meant it had to be drained off.

Trout like to spawn near the wave line and sudden drops or rises in water levels can kill off the spawn.

Rotary Park was completely under water as was a portion of Minden's North Water Street. Water levels were about 10 per cent higher than usual for the time of year.

Lights out

A huge storm on Friday, November 13 put much of the county out of action.

Heavy rain and snow driven by winds gusting up to 100 km/h caused many trees to snap and bring down power and telephone lines all over the county.

Some areas were without power for two days as Ontario Hydro struggled to cope with a large number of outages.

Up to 4,000 utility customers were affected by the power outage.

Minden weather watcher Phil Graham said that 38 mm of rain fell during the storm which pushed Gull River over its banks again.

The high winds ripped a number of television aerials and shingles off and also managed to tear pieces of the roof off Our Lady of Fatima Roman Catholic Church.

Friday the 13th struck again.

That sinking feeling returns

Residents near Gull River and the upper Haliburton lakes may have felt like they were sinking as water levels along the county's Trent-Severn Waterways were pushed to the limit.

In late November and early December, the TSW let water levels rise causing Gull River to overflow its banks and cover a section of North Water Street, living up to its name.

Officials at the TSW said the move was needed to remove excess water before it froze so that there would be less flooding in the spring. As well, the TSW said the flooding problems in Minden were considered only a nuisance and not a major problem.

The TSW issued a high water warning in early December for areas near the Gull, Otonabee and Trent Rivers.

Water levels finally returned to normal during the second week of December.

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Holiday blues? Help is just seven numbers away

by Andy Holloway

The holiday season is a stressful time for many people with everybody rushing around trying to buy enough presents, visit enough people and fill every waking moment with something to do. Expectations are high and many work hard to try and fulfil their promises and wishes.

However for others the holidays can be a depressing time. Those who feel they are alone, shut-ins and many others who can see and sense that they may not be enjoying the season as much as others seem to be.

"If you're lonely all year, you're more aware of it now because there is a lot of stress at this time of year," says Dorothy Owens, chairperson of Telecare in Haliburton County.

Telecare has been operating for over a year now, but many are still not aware of the service or perhaps feel it can not help them. Despite all of that, over 230 calls were received in its first year of operation and the numbers are increasing. In September of this year alone, almost 60 calls were received.

Traditionally the holiday season is a time when calls to Telecare or similar services around the world go up says Owens. The reasons for this are many and varied, but the causes are year-round. The holidays just add emphasis to feelings of loneliness, grief, bereavement or internal family tensions.

The need for a confidential service to help people deal with personal problems has been a long one. Once confined mainly to more major centres, crisis lines and hotlines are becoming increasingly prevalent in smaller rural centres says Owens.

"I think it's actually a better way to do it for small communities because from the aspect of confidentiality in a small community it's better to have call forwarding."

The aspect of confidentiality is a strong one says Owens. People will open up more when they know they are not talking to someone who knows them. There is a level of confidence achieved just in trying to sort out personal feelings while someone else listens with empathy.

Empathic listening, which all Telecare operators are trained to achieve, involves listening without jumping in to offer solutions to people's problems. It emphasizes having people work through their feelings and get control of them on their own - almost like thinking out loud.

"When there's things happening and because of the circumstances they can't or don't want to talk to the people close to them, but they need to talk it out and it helps to talk to someone who will listen empathically," says Owens.

Confidentiality is assured because all Haliburton calls (457-3617 or Zenith 69960) are forwarded to Telecare volunteers in Peterborough. Each volunteer has received at least 50 hours of intensive training and is able to discuss any problem, no matter how big or how small. Volunteers also have at their disposal all of the names and numbers of agencies and organizations that can provide additional help or information in the area. Backing that up, the volunteer can also contact one of several people who organize Telecare in Haliburton for more information or for urgent calls. However, Owens says Peterborough workers are so well trained they have not had to make a single back-up call yet.

"Some of the training I received in Toronto, and it would be similar here, has been more useful than some of the schooling you get at university in terms of dealing with people," says Owens herself a former volunteer in Toronto and now a teacher at Sir Sanford Fleming College.

Telecare was first started in 1965 by a Presbyterian minister in Sydney, Australia who called it Operation Lifeline. Bruce McDougall, a United Church minister based in Sudbury, was the first to bring the service to Canada and there are now 28 across the country and 215 internationally.

The Haliburton service was started and is run by SIRCH (Supportive Initiative for Residents in the County of Haliburton) and does not rely on government funding. Currently a funding drive for Telecare is being coordinated by Carol Puffer.

The need is everywhere, not just in major cities says Owens. As well, the service is not just for those who are contemplating suicide or something drastic. Owens says anybody at anytime may have the occasion to need Telecare's assistance.

"It can be another person human being to touch base with and a lot of people don't have that. I think in rural areas that can be more critical than perhaps in the city. There's a lot of isolation. I refer all my students and I make sure they know of Telecare's existence because any of us could use it at any time."

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Sports

Minor Hockey

Various Minden Monarchs' teams will be involved in exciting OMHA action this weekend at the Minden Arena. Check out the schedule on page 12 and support minor hockey.

Upsets rule in Minden men's league action

It was a night of upsets in Minden men's hockey last Monday as the top three teams lost to the bottom three teams to tighten up the race for first.

The Times, rebounding from a loss to Sid Stamp the previous week, beat division-leading Hartwick 4-2 in a fast-paced game.

Hartwick had taken an early 2-0 lead before the game was even five minutes old, but The Times kept coming back and after á number of fine saves by Hartwick's Paul Humber were rewarded with four straight goals.

Ben Manuge scored both goals for Hartwick and Greg Newell assisted on both of them and they were up 2-0 in the first period. Gary Harrison added an assist on Manuge's second goal.

Humber made several saves before Tom Haley finally put one past him to get The Times to within one. Doug Allison drew the only assist on the play.

Dennis McKee then took a pass from Eldon Bull and made a good breakaway move on Humber to tie the game up before the end of the first period.

In the second period, The Times kept coming and were rewarded when Mike Keaney, with assists from Dave Rogers and Allison. scored the go-ahead goal.

Bull scored the game's final goal after taking a pass from McKee and The Times had stunned Hartwick.

With the win The Times moved into a fourth place tie with Home Hardware with seven points.

Despite the loss, Hartwick remained alone in first place as second running KDD was pounded 7-1 by suddenly red-hot Sid Stamp.

Sid Stamp won their second game in a row after opening the season with six straight losses. Scott Hamilton and Brian Shaw each scored a pair of goals to lead Stamp past KDD who could have had sole possession of first place with a win.

Hamilton opened the scoring in the first period after taking a pass from Brent Flood. KDD soon rebounded when Jamie Walker scored with an assist to Jeff Stamp, but that would be the only goal to beat Rob Crowe.

Sid Stamp then scored two goals to take a 3-1 lead into the second period. Shaw, with assists to Dave Dollo and Dave Hartwick, and Hamilton with the second of his pair were the goal scorers. Barry Walker added the only assist on Hamilton's marker.

Any thoughts of a KDD comeback were extinguished in the second period as Sid Stamp scored four unanswered goals.

Brent Flood started the scoring with assists to Hamilton and Walker. Hartwick, Walker and Shaw then scored to put the game away. Flood added two more assists while Hamilton and Sid McKeigan were also credited with assists.

Sid Stamp remain in last place, but is on a roll while KDD, winless in their last two, remain in second just one point ahead of Westside who put the boot to Home Hardware 4-2 in the night's final game.

A three-point performance by Pete Allore

(more on page 12)

A pair of The Times players keep the puck away from a Hartwick forward during men's league action last Monday at the Minden Arena. The Times upset league leading Hartwick 4-2 and was the first in a trio of upsets Monday.

Pee Wee B's win pair to cap sucessful week

Last Sunday, the Minden Monarchs Pee Wee Bs pounded the Bobcaygeon Cougars 7-0.

Jason Kasepchuk scored a goal in each of the three periods to record a hat trick while Chris Little added a pair of goals to lead the way for the Monarchs.

The Monarchs jumped out to a 3-0 first lead with Philip Daniels, Kasepchuk and Little scoring. In the second period, the Monarchs continued to pound the Cougars and their effort was rewarded with two more goals, Kasepchuk with his second of the day and George Godfrey with his first for a 5-0 lead.

The third period was more of the same as Kasepchuk completed his hat trick and Little finished off the scoring.

Ashley Walker recorded the shut-out for the Monarchs.

Led by a pair of two goal performances by Philip Daniels and George Godfrey the Pee Wee Bs routed the Haliburton Huskies 5-1 on Friday, December 18.

The Monarchs scored four goals in the first period, including the pairs by Daniels and Godfrey to build a solid lead over their cross-county rivals.

Jason Kasepchuk later scored the Monarchs' fifth goal in the third period to complete the scoring.

The lone goal by the Huskies was scored an unassisted marker by Andrew Postelthwaite.

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Atom As win tourney

The Minden Monarchs Atom A team did not give up a goal in winning their own Ontario Minor Hockey Association tournament on December 19.

The Monarchs started the day-long tournament off by defeating the Minden Bs 9-0 in their first game. The B team was a fill-in team because the tournament needed one more team to compete.

The Monarchs continued their winning ways with a 3-0 victory against the Oakwood Rangers in a spirited match with a lot of penalties being called, particularly against the Rangers who became frustrated.

In their final game, Peterborough failed to score against the Monarchs and the team ended on top of a 3-0 final score.

In the B round Millbrook beat Oakwood while in the C round Bobcaygeon beat the Minden Bs to capture that final.

The Monarchs Pee Wee A tournament was cancelled, but the Monarchs played an exhibition game against the Haliburton Huskies and won 5-4.

Sports

Westside moves up to third place with win

(from page 11)

led Westside, who are undefeated in their last three games.

Allore scored the game's first two goals and the only two in the opening period. Rick Anderson assisted on both markers and Westside had a 2-0 lead entering the second period.

Home Hardware struck quickly though in the second with two goals of their own to tie the game up. Greg Carpenter, with assists to John Fedeski and Ted Vasey, and Jeff Howe assisted by Tim Hunter were the scorers.

However, Westside rebounded with two unanswered goals to win the game.

Bill Hogg, assisted by Craig Crowe and Rick Beeney scored the first of the two goals. Crowe then scored the game's final goal with Hogg returning the favour and getting an assist.

Home Hardware dropped from third place into a tie for fourth with The Times with seven points while Westside took over third place with the win.

Minden men's league standings

Team	W	L	T	P
Hartwick	5	2	1	11
KDD	4	2	2	10
Westside	3	2	3	9
The Times	3	4	1	7
Home Hardware	2	3	3	7
Sid Stamp	2	6	0	4

Future games

December 28: Home Hardware vs. Sid Stamp @ 8 p.m., Westside vs. Hartwick @ 9 p.m., The Times vs. KDD @ 10 p.m.

January 4: Home Hardware vs. KDD @ 8 p.m., Sid Stamp vs. Hartwick @ 9 p.m., Westside vs. The Times @ 10 p.m.

Minden Minor Hockey Schedule

Saturday, January 2
10 a.m. - Novice A: Fenelon Falls @ Minden
11 a.m. - Novice B: Oakwood @ Minden
12 p.m. - Novice C: Little Britain @ Minden
2 p.m. - Atom A: Bobcaygeon @ Minden
3 p.m. - Pee Wee A: Haliburton @ Minden
4:30 p.m. - Bantam: Haliburton @ Minden

Sunday, January 3
10 a.m. - Novice C: Ops @ Minden
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Fewer birds spotted in winter count

Minden area birders see over 3,700 birds, but still well short of last year's total

by Andy Holloway

This year's Minden Christmas bird count saw over 2000 less birds than last year although the number of species spotted was about the same.

Area birder Ron Pittaway reports that just 3735 birds were recorded this year as compared to 5846 last year. The number of species was slightly down, from 41 to 38, but was still considered a "pretty respectable" number.

"Many people have remarked that the number of birds seemed fewer this year at feeders. Particularly, the finches, like Evening Grosbeaks, which are normally abundant at feeders devouring huge quantities of sunflower seeds haven't made an appearance in the area yet," says Pittaway.

The main reason for the lack of birds is food, or rather the natural abundance of it this year.

"We feel that wild food supplies are abundant throughout the central and northern Ontario area and birds that normally are dependent on feeders have remained in more northern areas," says Pittaway.

There were some surprises in this year's bird count says Pittaway. Chief among them was the disappearance of the American Crow. Normally found in more urban centres like Minden or around Kinmount, not one American Crow was spotted. This is the first time in ten years the bird has been missed in this area. While not an abundant species in this area, Pittaway says you can usually count on seeing two or three per year.

Another surprise was the jump in numbers of the Mourning Dove. In 1982 there were only two sightings of this migratory bird and last year only 25 were spotted. This year 64 of them were recorded, a result Pittaway says is because they have "clued into feeders."

Mourning Doves are naturally cold-hardy, but in the past they have migrated south usually returning in March. Despite their presence at feeders, the finches will not suffer says Pittaway.

"Their numbers will fluctuate wildly. They're very cold-hardy birds, but the main thing they're after is a good natural food source whereas Mourning Doves are normally migratory birds that have started to winter successfully, but are completely dependent on feeders."

This year's count was done by 15 birders comprising of six groups which is the usual number for this area says Pittaway.

Their totals will be published in American Bird and this lends a bit of competition to the birding. Pittaway makes a strong case for birding to be considered a sport rather than a pastime.

"It's quite competitive in most Christmas bird counts which does give it an element of a sport. Bird watching is sort of out. Bird watching suggests a more passive thing, just sitting there watching the bird feeder, but birding involves a lot more work," says Pittaway who adds his group logged over 150 kilometers in his car and countless more traipsing through the woods.

As well, one group managed to canoe down the Gull River to Gull Lake and to the Kilcoo Camp area which is where two of the Common Loons were discovered.

The key to birding is patience, says Pittaway.

"If people are wondering where all the winter finches are, Evening Grosbeaks, Siskins and the like, I suspect when it gets a little colder, there's more snow on the ground and the natural food source diminishes in the woods that the birds will move into the feeders eventually."

Christmas bird count totals

The Minden area Christmas bird count may have seen fewer individuals this year, but the numbers were still respectable says area birder Ron Pittaway.

The number of species spotted included a Winter Wren for the first time and a Brown Thrasher for only the second time in the history of the 22 years of the event.

Birds spotted and their number were (in ornithological order):

3 Common Loon
1 Canada Goose
5 American Black Duck
65 Mallard
20 Common Goldeneye Duck
2 Hooded Merganser
20 Common Merganser
1 Red-breasted Merganser
25 Ruffed Grouse (Partridge)
52 Rock Dove (Pigeon)
64 Mourning Dove
22 Downy Woodpecker
45 Hairy Woodpecker
3 Pileated Woodpecker
5 Grey Jay
387 Blue Jay
123 Common Raven
1184 Black-cap Chickadee
190 Red-breasted Nuthatch
36 White-breasted Nuthatch
11 Brown Creeper
1 Winter Wren
23 Golden-crowned Kinglet
1 Brown Thrasher
1 Northern Shrike
19 European Starling
84 American Tree Sparrow
1 White-throated Sparrow
10 Dark-eyed Junco
150 Snow Bunting
1 Pine Grosbeak
116 Purple Finch
26 White-winged Crossbill
2 Common Redpoll
339 Pine Siskin
316 American Goldfinch
308 Evening Grosbeak
33 House Sparrow
40 Finch sp.

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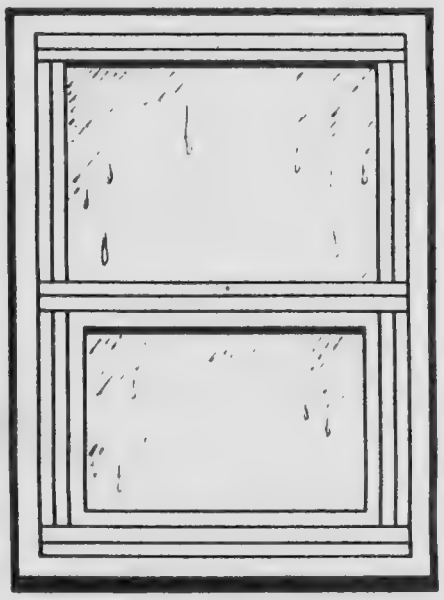

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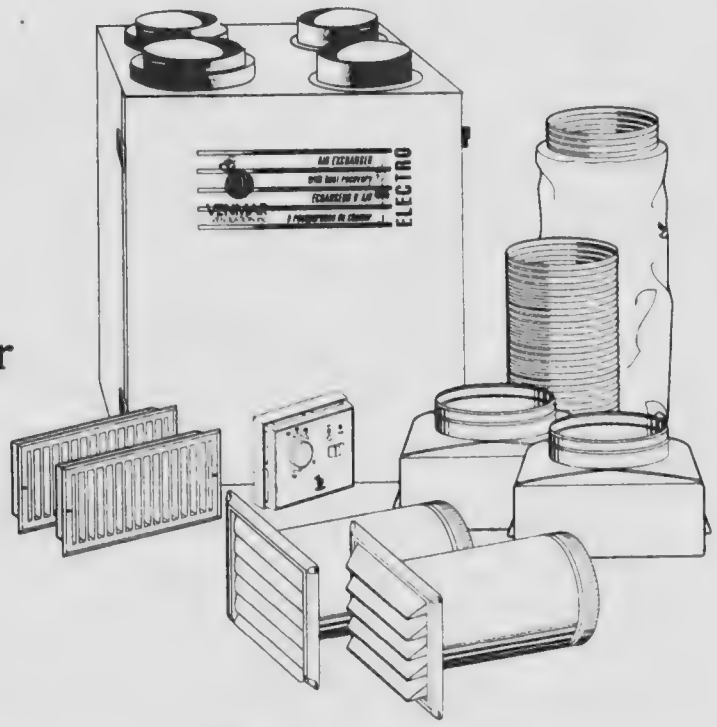

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Weather a key factor for sled dog derby

Organizers hope it won't be raining cats and dogs for world's largest derby

It's very simple: you have to have snow to have a sled-dog race. But nature is fickle and trying to guarantee the right temperature and the right amount of the right kind of precipitation is a tricky business at best. You can hope. You can pray. You can even buy weather insurance to try and hedge your bets.

The organizers of the Minden Techni-cal Challenge have taken a different tack. They've turned for help to Television Weather Persons throughout Ontario. The following people, who bring you your nightly dose of precipitation amounts and wind chill factors and jet stream flows, have been invited, for the second year, to participate in the Minden Techni-cal Weather Challenge and predict what the weather will be at the start of the first day of the 1993 race:

Mary-Beth Burton, CFCL-TV & CITO-TV, Timmins
Dave Duvall, CFTO-TV, Toronto
Peter Fialkowski, CHEX-TV, Peterborough
Susan Hay, Global TV, Toronto
Matt Hayes, CHCH-TV, Hamilton
Harold Hosein, CITY-TV, Toronto
Tamara Ischenko, CKNC-TV, Sudbury
Bill Lawrence, CBLT, Toronto
Dave MacDonald, CKCO-TV, Kitchener
Marilyn Maki, CHNB-TV & CKNY-TV, North Bay
Dan Matheson, Canada AM, CTV, Toronto
Bob McIntyre, CKVR-TV, Barrie

(Last year's prizes were scooped by Susan Hay of Global TV.)

The Minden Techni-cal Challenge — the world's largest limited-class speed race for sled dogs — is held each year on the second weekend in January. That means this year's race — the ninth — will be held on January 9 and 10, 1993. Sponsored by Martin Pet Foods of Elmira, Ontario, who provide the purse of $25,100, the race regularly draws the world's top medal-winning mushers from across Canada and the United States. It also attracts thousands of spectators who line Main Street for a ringside view of the action.

It's no wonder, with all those people coming, that race organizers would like to know what the weather's going to be! So they've asked those participating in the Minden Techni-cal Weather Chal-lenge to tell them what the temperature will be, how much snow will be on the ground, whether it's sunny or cloudy, and what sort of precipitation, if any, will be falling at 10:00 a.m. on January 9.

In addition to widespread recognition as the "One and Only and Most Revered Weather Prognosticator" for 1993 and designation as "Official Minden Techni-cal Challenge Forecaster" for the 1994 Race, the winning forecaster will receive an enviable package of memorabilia from the 1993 race.

Whatever the weather, the Minden Techni-cal Challenge is a great family weekend. Racing takes place throughout Saturday and Sunday, starting at 10:00 a.m each day. The kid-and-mutt race is held on Saturday afternoon, after the official heats in the eight- and four-dog classes. The prizes are presented on Sunday afternoon.

In addition, visitors can enjoy demonstrations of kick-sledding, chat with "Drifter" the race mascot, and visit the dog lot to look over the animals and talk with the mushers. "Catch The Drift", a song written and recorded by local musicians, will be the theme song for the entire weekend.

Area MP presents Canada 125 medals

Area MP Bill Scott presented Canada 125 Medals to 40 constituents of his Victoria-Haliburton riding on December 15.

The medals were approved by Queen Elizabeth to mark the anniversary of the Confederation of Canada. The medal was given out to 40,000 Canadians who were nominated by various levels of government as well as by national organizations.

"On the occasion of the 125th Anniversary of our Confederation, it is indeed fitting that we should pay tribute to those citizens who have devoted so much time and energy towards making their country a better place in which to live," said Scott in a release.

The winners are: Jean Allen, Laura Archer (posthumously), Lt. John Atkins, Valmay Barkey, Irene Beaton, Jim Brown, Captain R.A. Crocker, Verna Curtin, Clare Curtin, Harry Davis, Barbara Dawson, John Eakins, John Fitsell, Captain S.E. Found, Robert Hall, Margaret Hancock, Glen Hodgson, Joe Iles, Karl Illini, Bonnie Kennedy, Hon. Allan Lawrence, Larry McKnight, Marnie McQuarrie, Phylis Montemiglio, David Murray, Cliff Pearson, Dr. Peter Petrosoniak, Margaret Plaunt, Roy Polito, Robert Puffer, Captain Carolyn Rodd, Major Murray Rodd, Keith Rynard, J.M. Doc Savage, Norma Service, Gordon Stewart, Dennis Sweeting, Nancy Sweetnam, Moti Tahiliani, Roy Windover

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Mr. Garage says he has a plan for jobs

Fenelon Falls business man wants to use Haliburton people to franchise operation

by Andy Holloway

The buzz word for the 1990s has been jobs.

Everybody talks about jobs. Governments talk about creating them. People talk about getting them. However, precious little seems to be done about them.

Barry Bambrough may not have all the answers, but he does have a viable plan to create a few jobs that is getting some positive attention from both government and business alike.

Bambrough owns and operates Mr. Garage, just outside of Fenelon Falls. He started his business, which does work in Haliburton County, in September 1984 during a similar economic downturn and within three months had seven jobs.

Now, eight years later, Ontario finds itself needing jobs in a bad way. Bambrough says he wants to find five contractors from the Victoria-Haliburton area who are willing to take on three aspiring contractors from around the Barrie area to create Mr. Garage franchises.

By 1996 these same people would then take on aspiring contractors in other areas and show them the ropes says Bambrough.

"It's my idea that instead of training a person just once, it would be on an on-going basis," says Bambrough. "As changes are made or improvements in the product are developed then I would get that information out to all the contractors."

It sounds great, but will it work? After all, the economy now is even worse than it was back in 1984.

"When my son and I first started this business eight years ago we got most of our jobs by simply stating to the customer that we needed the work and we'll make you a good deal and it worked," says Bambrough.

"At that time I figured the next time the economy went boom, I'd be prepared to do something like this.

"That time is now. It worked then, it should work now."

However, Bambrough's proposal does need financial backing to make it work. For funds, Bambrough has targeted both the provincial government and past employers. A letter has been sent out to people who have had garages built for them by Bambrough asking for a minimum investment of $1,000.

Bambrough says he has received some good responses. But his plan calls for half of the plan to be funded by government sources. JobsOntario, an arm of the provincial government, is where Bambrough has turned to.

An official at the Career House in Lindsay, Zita Devan, says Bambrough's plan is "well thought-out", but does not fit in her department which is the JobsOntario Training Fund. However, she says it may fit in with other departments, like the Capital Fund or the Enterprise Fund.

"In the new year there will be a meeting of all of the representatives from the departments and I can ask does this proposal fit into any of your programs," says Devan adding she will have a "captive audience" to present the plan to.

One of the plans Bambrough could fit would provide up to $72,500 which would satisfy his requirement of raising $150,000 in total.

"Whether or not I would be eligible for the full amount I don't know, but that would certainly meet my basic requirements of half from government sources and half from private sources," says Bambrough.

Bambrough hopes to have people working by April, 1993, a time when he says people are thinking about buying garages. At that time, he will also have an advertising campaign in place in the Barrie area.

Food drive

On behalf of the Haliburton District Real Estate Board, Bill Kulas (left) and John Hincks donated 15 hampers of food to the Minden Food Bank last Monday afternoon. The previous week, they had collected the food from members of the board. Hampers were also given to 4Cs.

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A pretty celebration of Christmas

Minden BIA Christmas decoration contest adds spice

Marjorie Coulter stands behind the front window display at Northland Footwear which won the Minden BIA Christmas Decoration Contest for best commercial exterior. Coulter along with Laurie Sisson were the ones who designed the front window. They also worked on Northland Sales front.

Minden's BIA Christmas Decoration Contest once again inspired people to dress up their stores and houses to give the town a pretty glow.

The judges had a hard time picking the winners, but they managed a good job.

In the commercial exterior category Northland Footwear claimed top spot. Owner Stuart Brandon said Marjorie Coulter deserved the credit for the success.

The winning look was not glitzy, but it was effective.

Coulter and Laurie Sisson worked on both Northland store fronts and their hard work paid off. Northland Sales took second prize in the category.

Finishing third was Headlines Hairstyling in the Heritage Mall. They had perhaps the most innovative look with Santa Claus, painted onto the window, appearing to look right at you.

In the commercial door category, Headlines Hairstyling made up for their third place finish in the exterior category by taking top spot.

In the residential categories, Gwen Cox and Joe Rivers were the big winners.

Their home on Tennyson Road was beautifully and tastefully done and the judges agreed.

They managed to win the residential exterior category and took second place in the residential door category. Cox was surprised when told she and Rivers had won the awards, but that it made all their hard work worth it.

Finishing second in the residential exterior category was Mary Heller and Robert Muirhead finished third.

In the residential door competition, Maxine Snell won first place while Mary Heller finished third.

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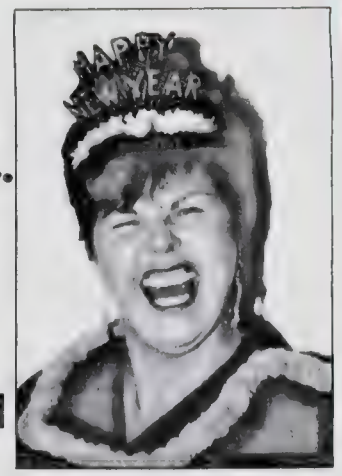

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Kids' Korner

by Jean Lacey

Hi Kids! Here is another word maze for you to work on. The words listed below are hidden in the maze at the right. Look for them horizontally, vertically and diagonally appearing backward and forward. Have fun and I hope you enjoy the challenge.

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Q: If two shirt collars had a race who would win?
A: Neither. It would end in a tie.

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Q: What do you have when there is no snow?
A: Tough sledding.

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Q: Why did the bowling pins lie down?
A: Because they were on strike.

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Q: What did one bicycle say to the other?
A: Was it you who spoke?

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Q: Why are fish poor tennis players?
A: Because they don't like to get close to the net.

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Stopping crime

The Rotary Club of Minden was recognized for its financial support of the local Crimestoppers hotline. Rotary representative Bill Roszell received a plaque on behalf of the club from Daisy Downs, a member of the board of directors of Lindsay and Area Crimestoppers, the organization serving the Highlands. The club's donation was added to the Crimestoppers' reward fund.

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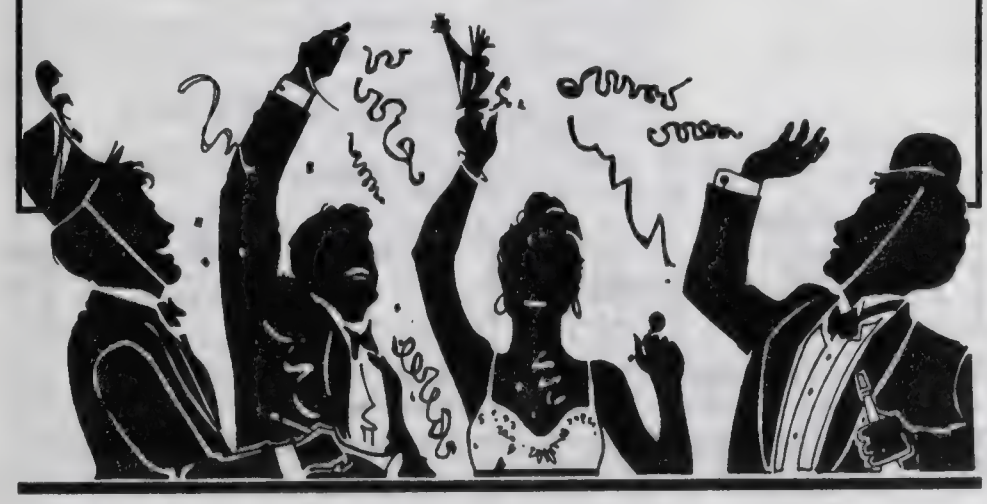

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The Bancroft-Haliburton Community Industrial Training Committee had its annual Christmas dinner and Planning Day on December 9. Members present included (clockwise from top left): Kim Parish, Allene Angus (vice-chairperson), Tom Malloy, Paul Whyte, Brian Sarginson, Tony Falcon, Lee Heath, Joyce Potts (secretary), Barbara Bolin, Barbara LeBlanc, Doug Mitchell, Barry Butler (chairperson), Joyce Chippure (administrative assistant) and Nicole Parker (coordinator). Directors who are absent from the picture are: Andy Campbell, Knowlton Hunter, Ken Langdon, Terry Crowe, Ron Bradley, Lois Moore, Jane Selbie, Art Franklin and Ian Armitage.

Training people for a better day

The Community Industrial Training Committee (CITC) held their annual Training Planning Day and Christmas Dinner at the Alternative Dining Lounge on Wednesday, December 9.

The committee members expressed their continuing commitment to quality training programs at the local level for which the CITC has become known.

The strength of courses coordinated by The CITC is that they are custom designed to meet the needs of the people within the communities that we serve.

To know what to do, we conduct both formal and informal surveys across the two counties.

We also depend heavily upon feedback from participants and business.

All of this information is evaluated by the Training sub-committee before the training plan is developed each year.

A listing of tenative training programs to be offered in 1993/94 may be obtained at the CITC office in Bancroft.

For any information on how you can become more involved with the CITC and its training programs for next year please give us a call at (613) 332-4356 or 1-800-267-2857.

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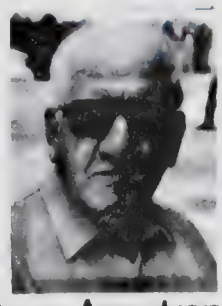
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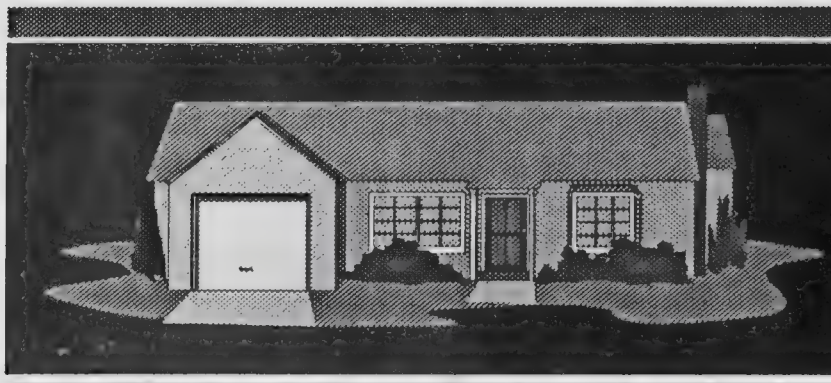

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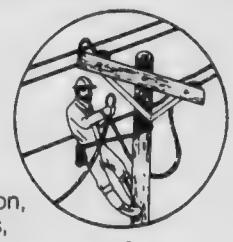

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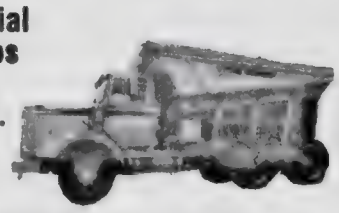

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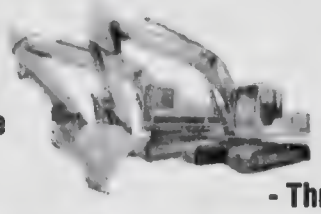

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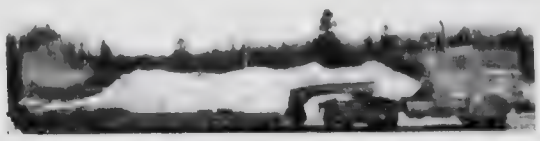

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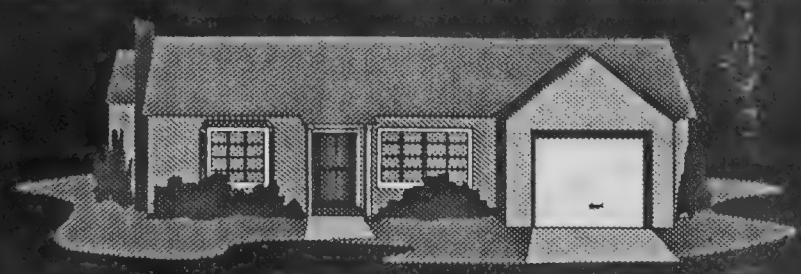

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channel 2 GLOBAL

Mon., Dec. 28

5:30 Global News
7:00 Entertainment Tonight
7:30 Super Dave
8:00 Missing Treasures
8:30 Hearts Afire
9:00 Sweating Bullets
10:00 Northern Exposure
11:00 The World Tonight
11:30 Sportsline
12:05 Cops
12:35 Late Night With David Letterman
1:35 Flying Doctors
2:35 Room 222
3:05 Night Moves
3:35 Night Ride
4:35 Night Walk

Tues., Dec. 29

5:30 Global News
7:00 Entertainment Tonight
7:30 Molson Leaf Hockey
10:30 Super Dave
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:05 Sightings
12:35 Late Night with David Letterman
1:35 The Fugitive
2:35 Room 222
3:05 Night Moves
3:35 Night Ride
4:35 Night Walk

Wed., Dec. 30

5:30 Global News
7:00 Entertainment Tonight
7:30 Super Dave
8:00 Beverly Hills, 90210
9:00 Seinfeld
9:30 Mad About You
10:00 Civil Wars
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:05 Code 3
12:35 Late Night With David Letterman
1:35 The Fugitive
2:35 Room 222
3:05 Night Moves
3:30 Night Ride
4:35 Night Walk

Thurs., Dec. 31

5:30 Global News
6:30 Christmas in the Arctic
7:00 Entertainment Tonight
7:30 Super Dave
8:00 The Simpsons
8:30 The Simpsons
9:00 Cheers
9:30 Wings
10:00 Quantum Leap
11:00 Global News
11:30 Dick Clark New Year's Rockin' Eve '93
1:00 Late Night with David Letterman
2:00 Movie: The Big Show
4:30 Night Ride

Fri., Jan. 1

5:30 Faith
6:00 Mr. Wizard's World
6:30 Commander Crumbcake
7:00 Carebears
7:30 Alvin & The Chipmunks
8:00 Beetlejuice
8:30 Inspector Gadget
9:00 Children's Christmas Fund
9:30 Parent to Parent
10:00 Food For Thought
10:30 100 Huntly Street
11:30 Entertainment Desk
12:00 The News At Noon
12:30 News Special: Yearender-Canada
1:00 Forever Young: The Legend of the Grand Bank Ladies
2:00 Foreign Affairs
2:30 Acting Crazy
3:00 Special: Inside Japan
4:00 Batman
4:30 The Young & The Restless
5:30 Global News
6:30 Global News
7:00 Entertainment Tonight
7:30 Super Dave
8:00 America's Most Wanted
9:00 Top Cops
10:00 Ellen's Story
11:00 Global News
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 Brooklyn Bridge
12:35 Late Night with David Letterman
1:35 The Fugitive
2:35 Night Walk
3:35 Night Ride
5:35 Night Walk

Sat., Jan. 2

6:30 Kidstreet
7:00 Ovide & Gang
7:30 Carebears
8:00 Dog City
8:30 Beetlejuice
9:00 C.O.P.S.
9:30 Ovide & Gang
10:00 Smoggies
10:30 My Pet Monster
11:00 Dennis the Menace
11:30 Dennis the Menace
12:00 C.O.P.S.
12:30 Kidsbeat
1:00 World Tomorrow
1:30 Tell Tale Town
2:00 Mr. Wizard's World
2:30 Ovide & Gang
3:00 My Pet Monster
3:30 Smoggies
4:00 Inspector Gadget
4:30 Dog City
5:00 Bugs Bunny & Tweety Show
6:00 The Saturday Report
6:30 Focus Ontario
7:00 T & T
7:30 Super Dave
8:00 War of the Worlds
9:00 T & T
9:30 Ray Bradbury
10:00 The Commish
11:00 Global News
11:30 Saturday Night Live
1:00 Movie: Carry On Up The Jungle
3:00 The Fugitive
4:00 Night Ride
5:00 Ernest Angley

Sun., Jan. 3

6:00 Circle Square
6:30 Town & Country Ontario
7:00 Size Small
7:30 Carebears
8:00 Beetlejuice
8:30 Dog City
9:00 Ovide & Gang
9:30 Dennis the Menace
10:00 Jimmy Swaggart
11:00 Hour of Power
12:00 Festival Italiano Di Johnny Lombardi
1:00 NFL Football
4:00 NFL Football
7:00 60 Minutes
8:00 Murder, She Wrote
9:00 Married...with Children
9:30 Heart of Courage
10:00 Profiles of Nature
11:00 The World Tonight
11:30 Sportsline
12:00 Entertainment Tonight
1:00 The Fugitive
2:00 Room 222
2:30 Night Moves
3:00 Night Ride
4:00 Night Walk

Mon., Jan. 4

5:30 Global News
7:00 Entertainment Tonight
7:30 Super Dave
8:00 Missing Treasures
8:30 Hearts Afire
9:00 Sweating Bullets
10:00 Northern Exposure
11:00 The World Tonight
11:30 Sportsline
12:05 Cops
12:35 Late Night With David Letterman
1:35 Flying Doctors
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channel 3 CKVR

Mon., Dec. 28

6:00 Total News
7:00 All in the Family
7:30 The Odyssey
8:00 Fresh Prince of Bel Air
8:30 Northwood
9:00 Primetime News
10:00 Ironside
11:00 Total News
11:35 Tonight Show
12:35 Perry Mason
1:35 Empty Nest
2:05 Bob Newhart
2:35 Taxi
7:00 All In The Family
7:30 Marketplace
8:00 Fifth Estate
9:00 Prime Time News
10:00 Jacques Cousteau
11:00 Total News
11:35 The Tonight Show
12:35 Perry Mason
1:35 Empty Nest
2:05 Bob Newhart
2:35 Taxi

Tues., Dec. 29

6:00 Total News
7:00 All In The Family
7:30 Governor General Awards
9:00 Primetime News
10:00 Remington Steele
11:00 Total News
11:35 The Tonight Show
12:35 Perry Mason
1:35 Empty Nest
2:05 Bob Newhart
2:35 Taxi

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11:35 The Tonight Show
12:35 Perry Mason
1:35 Empty Nest
2:05 Bob Newhart
2:35 Taxi

Thurs., Dec. 31

6:00 Total News
7:00 All in the Family
7:30 Empty Nest
8:00 North of 60
9:00 Primetime News
10:00 Hawaii 5-0
11:00 Fernwood 2Night
11:30 The Tonight Show
12:30 Perry Mason
1:30 Empty Nest
2:05 Bob Newhart
2:35 Taxi

Fri., Jan. 1

5:55 Total News
6:30 It Figures
7:00 G.I. Joe
7:30 Muppet Babies
8:00 Morning Exercise
8:30 Lifestyle
9:00 Sesame Street
10:00 Fred Penners's Place
10:15 Under the Umbrella Tree
10:30 Mr. Dressup
11:00 I Love Lucy
11:30 Andy Griffith
12:00 Leave It To Beaver
12:30 Raccoons On Ice
1:00 All My Children
2:00 Movie: Million Dollar Kid
3:19 Movie: Follow the Leader
4:43 Little Rascals
5:00 Golden Girls
5:30 Green Acres
6:00 Movie: Clancy Street Boys
7:30 Golden Palace
8:00 Street Legal
9:00 Primetime News
10:00 Silk Stalkings
11:00 Total News
11:35 The Tonight Show
12:35 Perry Mason
1:35 Fernwood 2Night
2:05 Lost In Space
3:05 Voyage to the Bottom of the Sea
4:05 Movie: Little Giant

Sat., Jan. 2

5:55 Total News
6:30 It Figures
7:00 Rocket Robin Hood
7:30 Babar
8:00 Street Cents
8:30 Canadian Gardener
9:00 Renovation Zone
9:30 Lynette Jennings Homeworks
10:00 Star Trek
11:00 Ski Base
11:30 Up & Coming
12:00 T.B.A.
12:30 Jubilee Years
1:00 One Last Cast
1:30 Fishful Thinking
2:00 Canadian Golf Magazine
2:30 Rookies
4:30 Sportsweekend
6:00 Total News
6:30 All In The Family
7:00 Disney
8:00 HNIC: St. Louis @ TO
11:00 The National
11:15 Total News
11:45 Fernwood 2Night
12:15 Time Tunnel
1:15 Lost in Space
2:20 Movie: Bataan
4:42 Little Rascals
5:00 Bob Newhart
5:30 Happy Days

Sun., Jan. 3

6:00 Total News
6:30 It Figures
7:00 Rocket Robin Hood
7:30 Babar
8:00 Dr. John Wesley White
8:30 Peoples Church
9:30 Star Trek
10:30 Three Stooges Festival
11:30 World At War
12:30 Charlie White's Fishing Machine
1:00 Country Canada
1:30 Hymn Sing
2:00 Travel Magazine
2:30 Movie: Holiday Affair
5:00 Knight Rider
6:00 Total News
6:30 All In The Family
7:00 By Way of the Stars
8:00 Company of Strangers
10:00 Sunday Report
10:25 Venutre
10:53 Nations Business
11:00 Total News
11:30 Ski Base
12:00 Paid Programming

Mon., Jan. 4

6:00 Total News
7:00 All in the Family
7:30 The Odyssey
8:00 Fresh Prince of Bel Air
8:30 Northwood
9:00 Primetime News
10:00 Ironside
11:00 Total News
11:35 Tonight Show
12:35 Perry Mason
1:35 Empty Nest
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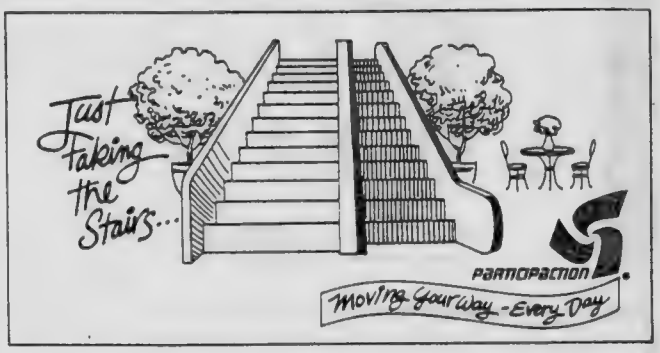

SNOW REMOVAL

The Highway Traffic Act RSO 1980, C198 - S147, Revised 1982 states "No person shall park or stand a vehicle on a highway to interfere with the clearing of snow". A constable or County By-Law officer may have the vehicle removed from the roadway and stored at the owner's expense.

Section 157 states "No person shall deposit snow or ice on a roadway without permission in writing from the road authority responsible for maintenance of the road". The penalty on conviction is a fine of not more than $50.00.

The co-operation of all motorists in these matters would be appreciated for efficient winter maintenance of County Roads and the safety of others.

Staff Sgt. W.T. Elliott
Minden O.P.P.

D.L. Valentine, P.Eng.
County Engineer

THE HALIBURTON COUNTY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

(Facilitating and Coordinating the Development and Implementation of Health, Social Services and Housing options in Haliburton County)

MEETINGS

January 12, 1993
HALIBURTON LEGION

Anyone interested in attending is welcome. Meetings start at 9:30 a.m. and are three hours in length. Time has been allotted at the end of each meeting for public participation.

Individuals/groups interested in sharing their opinion/concerns with this committee in the form of a presentation, please contact Kate Reed, Development Coordinator, at 457-9188.

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channel 11 CKCO

Mon., Dec. 28

6:00 CKCO-TV News
7:00 Roseanne
7:30 Inside Edition
8:00 Dinosaurs
8:30 Blossom
9:00 Movie: Elvis: The Great Performances
11:00 CTV News
11:30 CKCO-TV News
12:00 The Juiceman
12:30 The A Team
1:30 All In The Family
2:00 Head of the Class

Tues., Dec. 29

6:00 CKCO-TV News
7:00 Roseanne
7:30 Inside Edition
8:00 Unsolved Mysteries
9:00 Roseanne
9:30 The Jackie Thomas Show
10:00 In the Heat of the Night
11:00 CTV News
11:30 CKCO-TV News
12:00 The Juiceman
12:30 The A Team
1:30 All In The Family
2:0. Head of the Class

Wed., Dec. 30

6:00 CKCO-TV News
7:00 Roseanne
7:30 Inside Edition
8:00 This Living World - Wildlife Habitat
9:00 Home Improvement
9:30 Nurses
10:00 Law & Order
11:00 CTV News
11:30 CKCO-TV News
12:00 Whoopi Goldberg Show
12:30 The A Team
1:30 All In The Family
2:00 Head of the Class

Thurs., Dec. 31

6:00 CKCO-TV News
7:00 Roseanne
7:30 Inside Edition
8:00 Room For Two
8:30 Different World
9:00 E.N.G.
10:00 Counterstrike
11:00 CTV News
11:30 Special: Hard Rock Cafe - New Year's Eve Special
1:30 Late Date: Best Little Whorehouse in Texas

Fri., Jan. 1

6:30 Canada A.M.
9:00 Romper Room
9:30 Travel, Travel
10:00 Special: Canadian Finals - Rodeo Competition
11:00 Special: Rose Bowl Parade
1:30 Shirley
2:30 Against All Odds
3:00 Special: 1992 A Year in Review
4:00 Special: Sports '92
5:00 The 1992 Rose Bowl Game
8:30 Herman's Head
9:00 Unsolved Mysteries
10:00 Picket Fences
11:00 CTV News
11:30 CKCO-TV News
12:00 Late Date: The Scarlet and the Black

Sat., Jan. 2

6:00 Hann & Foote
6:30 Littlest Hobo
7:00 My Secret Identity
7:30 The Campbells
8:00 Owl TV
8:30 Magic Circus
9:00 Brownstone Kids
9:30 Camp Caribou
10:00 Wonder Why
10:30 Big Top Talent
11:00 New Wilderness
11:30 NRG
12:00 Canadian Sportsfishing
12:30 Outdoor Sportsman
1:00 Movie: Murder Sees The Light
3:00 Sports Special
5:00 American Gladiators
5:45 OHL Report
8:00 CKCO-TV News
8:30 Inside Entertainment
7:00 Bowling For Dollars
7:30 Special: Our Two Solitudes
8:00 Katts & Dog
8:30 Bordertown
9:00 Movie: Covert Action
11:00 CTV News
11:30 CKCO-TV News
12:00 Wiseguy
1:00 Late Date: Heartbreak Ridge

Sun., Jan. 3

6:00 Oopsy Daisy
6:30 New Wilderness
7:00 World Vision Canada
8:00 Sunday A.M.
10:00 Country Life
10:30 Question Period
11:00 Church Service
12:00 Assignment Adventure
1:00 Lifestyles of the Rich & Famous
2:00 Movie: No Blame
4:00 Movie: Heaven Knows Mr. Allison
6:00 CKCO-TV News
6:30 Provincewide
7:00 W5 with Eric Malling
8:00 America's Funniest Home Videos
8:30 America's Funniest People
9:00 Movie: Passion and Paradise, Part 1
11:00 CTV News
11:30 CKCO-TV News
12:00 Whoopie Goldberg Show
12:30 Late Date: Phantom Kid

Mon., Jan. 4

6:00 CKCO-TV News
7:00 Roseanne
7:30 Inside Edition
8:00 Dinosaurs
8:30 Blossom
9:00 Movie: Passion and Paradise, Part 2
11:00 CTV News
11:30 CKCO-TV News
12:00 The Whoopi Goldberg Show
12:30 The A Team
1:30 All In The Family
2:00 Head of the Class

channel 12 CHEX

Mon., Dec. 28

6:00 Newswatch
7:00 Jeopardy
7:30 The Odyssey
8:00 Fresh Prince of Bel Air
8:30 Northwood
9:00 CBC Prime Time News
10:00 Love and War
10:30 Nurses
11:00 Newswatch
12:00 Kids in the Hall
1:00 Late Night

Tues., Dec. 29

6:00 Newswatch
7:00 Jeopardy
7:30 Marketplace
8:00 Fifth Estate
9:00 CBC Prime Time News
10:00 Going To Extremes
11:00 Newswatch
12:00 Kids In the Hall
1:00 Late Night

Wed., Dec. 30

6:00 Newswatch
7:00 Jeopardy
7:30 Designing Women
8:00 Nature of Things
9:00 CBC Prime Time News
10:00 48 Hours
11:00 Newswatch
12:00 Kids In The Hall
1:00 Late Night

Thurs., Dec. 31

6:00 Newswatch
7:00 Jeopardy
7:30 Empty Nest
8:00 North of 60
9:00 CBC Prime Time News
10:00 T.B.A.
11:00 Howie!
12:00 Kids In The Hall
1:00 Late Night Movie

Fri., Jan. 1

6:00 What On Earth
6:30 Urban Peasant
7:00 CBC Moring News
9:00 James Robison
9:30 Everyday Workout
10:00 Fred Penner/Umbrella Tree
10:30 Mr. Dressup
11:00 Babar
11:30 WRKP
12:00 Midday
1:00 Kate and Allie
1:30 Newhart
2:00 Bewitched
2:30 I Dream Of Jeannie
3:00 Trapper John
4:00 Taxi
4:30 The Golden Girls
5:00 Movie: Outside Chance of Max Glick
7:00 Chex Year End Review
7:30 Golden Palace
8:00 Street Legal
9:00 CBC Prime Time News
10:00 Fridan Night - Benmurgui
11:00 Kids In The Hall
12:00 Larry Sanders Show
12:30 Late Night Movie

Sat., Jan. 2

6:00 Fred Penner
6:30 Umbrella Tree
7:00 Canadian Sportfishing
7:30 Outdoor Sportsman
8:00 Circle Square
8:30 Spirit Alive
9:00 Visions of India
9:30 Portuguese Show
10:00 Iranian Show
10:30 Street Cents
11:00 Visions of India
11:30 Chir Greek Show
12:30 Nature Watch
1:00 WWF Cavalcade
2:00 Real Fishing
2:30 The Rookies
3:30 The Rookies
4:30 Sportsweekend
6:00 Newswatch
6:30 Sportsbeat
7:00 Maple Leaf Wrestling
8:00 HNIC: Phil/Cgy
11:00 National
11:15 Newswatch
11:45 Drop the Dead Donkey
12:15 Codco

Sun., Jan. 3

6:00 Canadian Reflections
6:30 Canadian Gardener
7:00 Town & Country
7:30 Fish 'n Canada
8:00 Lady of Fatima
8:30 James Robison
9:00 German Breakfast Carousel
9:30 Nature Watch
10:00 Day of Discovery
10:30 Robert Schuller
11:30 Visions of India
12:00 Expect a Miracle
12:30 Homeworks
1:00 Country Canada
1:30 Hymn Sing
2:00 Front Page Challenge
2:30 Jubilee Years
3:00 Weekend
3:30 Bubbie Break
4:00 On The Road Again
4:30 Monarch in Waiting
5:30 Newswatch
6:00 Disney
7:00 By Way of the Stars
8:00 The Diviners
10:30 Sunday Report/ Venture
11:30 Newswatch
12:00 Commercial Program
12:30 Kids in the Hall

Mon., Jan. 4

6:00 Newswatch
7:00 Jeopardy
7:30 The Odyssey
8:00 Fresh Prince of Bel Air
8:30 Northwood
9:00 CBC Prime Time News
10:00 Love and War
10:30 Nurses
11:00 Newswatch
12:00 Star Trek
1:00 Late Night Movie

daytime viewing

6:30 a.m.
2 Faith 20

6:00 a.m.
2 Mr. Wizard's World
3 Total News
11 CKCO-TV News
12 What On Earth

6:30 a.m.
2 Commander Crumbcake
3 It Figures
11 Canada A.M.
12 Urbain Peasant

7:00 a.m.
2 Care Bears
3 G.I. Joe
12 CBC Morning News

7:30 a.m.
2 Alvin & The Chipmunks
3 Muppet Babies

8:00 a.m.
2 Beetlejuice
3 Morning Exercise

8:30 a.m.
2 Inspector Gadget
3 Lifestyle

9:00 a.m.
2 Bumper Stumpers
3 Sesame Street
11 Romper Room
12 James Robison

9:30 a.m.
2 Parent to Parent
11 Travel, Travel
12 Everday Workout

10:00 a.m.
2 Food For Thought
3 Fred Penner
11 New Wilderness
12 Fred Penner/Umbrella Tree

10:30 a.m.
2 100 Huntley Street
3 Mr Dress Up
11 Lifestyle
12 Mr Dress Up

11:00 a.m.
3 I Love Lucy
11 Morning Magazine
12 Christmas Specials

11:30 a.m.
2 Entertainment Desk
3 Andy Griffith
11 The Judge
12 WKRP

12:00 noon
2 Global News
3 Leave It To Beaver
11 CKCO-TV News
12 Midday

12:30 p.m.
3 Total News
11 Cosby Show

1:00 p.m.
2 Days of Our Lives
3 All My Children
11 Shirley
12 All My Children

2:00 p.m.
2 Foreign Affairs
3 It Figures
11 Another World
12 As The World Turns

2:30 p.m.
2 Acting Crazy
3 Travel Magazine

3:00 p.m.
2 General Hospital
3 Urban Peasant
11 The Montel Williams Show
12 Guiding Light

3:30 p.m.
3 Rocket Robin Hood

4:00 p.m.
2 Batman
3 Christmas Specials
11 The Hogan Family
12 Taxi

4:30 p.m.
2 Young and the Restless
3 WKRP
11 I Dream of Jeannie
12 Golden Girls

5:00 p.m.
3 Golden Girls
11 Cheers
12 Empty Nest

5:30 p.m.
2 Global News
3 Green Acres
11 Cheers
12 Roseanne

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All of Crystal Lake, White Lake, Salmon Lake, Salerno Lake, Conley Lake, Hwy 503 from Kinmount to just east of and including Irondale, Rock Lake, Birch Bark Lake, Wiley's Lake, Bow Lake, Reid Road, All of Kinmount, Hwy 121 from just N. of Hwy 649 to just S. of Hwy 35 including Howland Jct., Dutch Line, Cty Road 1 from Hwy 121 to Lot 4, Conc. 7, Galway Road, Crystal Lake Road, Lower Dutch Line, Crego Lake, Denna Lake, Davis Lake, Miner's Bay, Cedar Lake, Most of Gull Lake EXCLUDING the NW side, Hwy 35 from just S. of 121 towards Kinmount, to just S. of the Wessell Farm and ALL POINTS IN-BETWEEN.

ALTERNATE DATE:
Wednesday January 20, 1993
Same Time.

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channel 13 TV Ontario

Mon., Dec. 28

6:00 Responding to Vicitms of Abuse
6:30 How Will You Manage?
7:00 The Tom Peteres Experience
7:30 Keys to Weight Training
8:00 Polka Dot Door
8:30 Fables of the Green Forest
9:00 Free To Fly
9:15 Let's All Sing
9:30 Today's Special
10:00 Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
10:30 OWL/TV
11:00 Today's Special
11:30 Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
12:00 The Adventures of Black Beauty
12:30 Emlyn's Moon
1:00 Man and Music
2:00 The Ruth Rendell Mysteries
3:00 The Green Earth Club
3:15 Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
3:30 Here's How!
3:40 Pinny's House
3:45 The Magic Library
4:00 Bagpuss
4:15 Fireman Sam
4:25 Nursery Rhymes
4:30 Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
5:00 Sesame Street
6:00 Polka Dot Door
6:30 Eureeka's Castle
7:00 Eric's World
7:30 Hands over Time
8:00 Vista
9:00 The Ruth Rendell Mysteries
10:00 Lizzie's Pictures
11:00 Lizzie's Pictures
12:00 Carrington

Tues., Dec. 29

6:00 T.B.A.
6:30 T.B.A.
7:00 Kitchen Cabinets Made Easy
7:30 Kite Crazy
8:00 Polka Dot Door
8:30 Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
9:00 Free to Fly
9:15 Let's All Sing
9:30 Today's Special
10:00 Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
10:30 OWL/TV
11:00 Ghostwriter
11:30 Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
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4:00 Bagpuss
4:15 Fireman Sam
4:25 Nursery Rhymes
4:30 Paddington
5:00 Today's Special
5:30 Sharon, Lois and Bram's Elephant Show
6:00 Polka Dot Door
6:30 Bookmice
7:00 Mr. Majeika
7:30 Bon Voyage, But...
8:00 Vital Signs
9:00 Dream Baby
10:25 Talking Heads: Her Big Chance
11:00 Lizzie's Pictures
12:00 Not Nailed Down

Thurs., Dec. 31

6:00 How Do You Do? Learing English
6:30 Well-Being
7:00 Volunteer Board Development
7:30 Bon Voyage...But
8:00 Polka Dot Door
8:30 Sharon, Lois and Bram's Elephant Show
9:00 Free to Fly
9:15 Let's All Sing
9:30 Today's Special
10:00 Sharon, Lois and Bram's Elephant Show
10:30 OWL/TV
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3:30 Here's How!
3:45 The Magic Library
4:00 Bagpuss
4:15 Fireman Sam
4:25 Nursery Rhymes
4:30 Sharon, Lois and Bram's Elephant Show
5:00 Sesame Street
6:00 Polka Dot Door
6:30 Join In
7:00 Today's Special
7:30 Fragile Nature
9:00 Under Milk Wood
10:00 Music of the Night
11:00 The Secret Police-man's Biggest Ball

Fri., Jan. 1

6:00 Paddington
6:30 Today's Special
7:00 Changing Careers
7:30 Putting On the Arts
8:00 Polka Dot Door
8:30 Fables of the Green Forest
9:00 Free To Fly
9:15 Let's All Sing
9:30 Today's Special
10:00 Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
10:30 OWL/TV
11:00 Today's Special
11:30 Sharon, Lois and Bram's
12:00 The Adventures of Black Beauty
12:30 Emlyn's Moon
1:00 Man and Music
2:00 The Ruth Rendell Mysteries
3:00 Imprint
4:00 R-2000: The Better-Built House
4:30 Helping Your Baby Sleep Throught the Night
5:00 Sesame Street
6:00 Polka Dot Door
6:30 Eureeka's Castle
7:00 Ghostwriter
7:30 BFG
9:00 Blott on the Landscape
10:00 Jay Scott's Film International

Sat., Jan. 2

6:00 Polka Dot Door
6:30 Fables of the Green Forest
7:00 Return to the Magic Library
7:15 Free To Fly
7:30 Sharon, Lois, & Bram's Elephant Show
8:00 Polka Dot Door
8:30 Today's Special
9:00 Sewing with Nancy
9:30 Mediterranean Cookery
10:00 The Light Gourmet
10:30 Perfect Pet People
11:00 Bon Voyage, But...
11:30 Homebrew
12:00 Keys to Weight Training
12:30 Man and Music
1:30 Play Snooker
2:00 Well-Being
2:30 Personal Finance with Lyman MacInnis
3:00 Responding to Vicitms of Abuse
3:30 Women in Politics
4:00 Samson and Sally
5:00 Today's Special
5:30 Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
6:00 Polka Dot Door
6:30 National Geographic
7:30 The Senior Report
8:00 Movie: The Miracle of Morgan's Creek
9:45 Conversations
10:05 Easy Living
11:35 Conversations

Sun., Jan. 3

6:00 Polka Dot Door
6:30 Fables of the Green Forest
7:00 Readalong
7:10 Joe
7:30 Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show
8:00 Polka Dot Door
8:30 Today's Special
9:00 Huxley Pig
9:10 Johnson and Friends
9:20 Fireman Sam
9:30 Bookmice
10:00 Alice in Wonderland
10:30 Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
10:45 The Green Earth Club
11:00 Ballet Shoes
11:30 Press Gang
12:00 Pédagogie 2000
1:00 PEPO
1:30 Le Monde à la carte
2:30 Secours informatique
3:00 Panorama
5:00 L'Arche de Noé
5:30 À la claire fontaine
6:00 Bibi et Geneviève
6:15 Bibi et Geneviève t'invitent
6:20 Boumbo
6:30 Dragon malgré lui
7:00 JeuneEsprit
7:30 Mare Nostrum
8:00 Ciné-Nostalgie
9:40 John Henry
Nyenhuis, jazzman de Montréal
10:30 Cent Ans de jazz
11:30 Panorama

Mon., Jan. 4

4:00 FROG
5:00 FROG
6:00 Responding to Victims of Abuse
6:30 Skills
7:00 The World of Chemistry
7:30 Against All Odds: Inside Statistics
8:00 Polka Dot Door
8:30 Fables of the Green Forest
9:00 Free To Fly
9:15 Report Canada
9:20 Readalong
9:30 The Green Earth Club
9:45 It Figures
10:00 We Live Next Door
10:15 Free To Fly
10:30 Harriet's Magic Hats
10:45 Books from Cover to Cover
11:00 Voyageurs
11:15 Two Plus You
11:30 Take A Look
11:40 Readalong
11:50 Report Canada
12:00 The Principal's Report
12:30 Conference Report
1:00 Work: The Inside Story
2:00 Well Being
2:30 The Light Gourmet
3:00 Color: An Introduction
3:30 Dealing With Dogs
4:00 Perfect Pet People
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10:00 Imprint
11:00 Kitchen Cabinets Made Easy
11:30 Renovating: The Inside Story
12:00 Keys To Weight Training
12:30 Question Period

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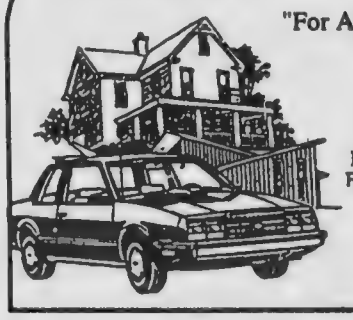

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Environmental awards a part of Green Plan

Canada's Green Plan is about partnership: the need for Canadians in every sector of society to work cooperatively toward the common goal of a cleaner, healthier environment.

The Environmental Achievement Awards celebrate that cooperation. This year's awards honour the efforts and commitment of individuals and organizations from all walks of life who work, through diverse but mutually reinforcing actions, to protect and restore our environment.

This year's awards will be presented during Canadian Environment Week, June 5-12, 1993. Nominations are invited in a wide range of categories. People and organizations nominated in previous years, and not chosen as award-winners, may be nominated again. An independent advisory body will select the winners.

Environment Achievement Awards will be presented in six categories.

Non-profit Organization

This award is for a non-government, non-profit group that has made an outstanding contribution to the protection of Canada's environment. The contribution may be a long-term, ongoing effort or a single, recent accomplishment. It may take the form of increased public awareness or the promoting of a particular cause.

Any Canadian organization, or Canadian branch of an international organization that is a non-government, non-profit group that: a) focuses on conservation, wildlife, energy issues, toxic chemicals, or any other concern central to improved environmental quality, or b) has developed a program that deals with an environment related topic.

Outstanding Communications for Environmental Awareness

This award is for an author, journalist, broadcaster or filmmaker who is a Canadian resident and whose work has significantly broadened Canadians' awareness of environmental issues. The award winner will have contributed to increased knowledge, concern, commitment and/or hope for the environment.

Corporate Environmental Leadership

This award recognizes innovative and/or exemplary environmental conduct by a Canadian corporation, institution or association-industrial or other. The winner will have shown that environmental concerns can be reflected in economic decisions, as urged by the World Commission on Environment and Development, and by Canada's Task Force on Environment and Economy.

The nominee must be a corporate entity, not a municipality or charitable organization. Crown corporations are also eligible.

Lifetime Achievement

This award is given to an individual Canadian whose lifetime dedication to the environment is a source of inspiration.

Environmental Leadership by a Municipality

This award recognizes an innovative and/or exemplary environmental policy, project or activity of a municipality.

Environmental Science fair Project

Environment Canada works with the Youth Science Foundation to select the best environment-related science fair project across the country. Nominations are, therefore, not required for this category.

Nominations must be postmarked on or before February 15, 1993. An acknowledgement will be sent to everyone who submits a nomination form.

Send nomination forms and requests for additional information to:

Inquiry Centre, Environment Canada, Place Vincent Massey, 351 St. Joseph Boulevard, Hull, Quebec, K1A 0H3

Phone: (819) 997-2800 or 1-800-668-6767

Report from Ottawa

from the office of Bill Scott, MP

Lillian Curry was Eastern Star's first Matron

The Order of the Eastern Star was introduced to the area on September 12, 1945 by Lillian Gilliam, or Lillian Curry as she is known today. The Order chose Highland Chapter as its official name. Sister Lillian became the first Worthy Matron of Highland Chapter and Brother Russell Dart, the first Worthy Patron.

Our very best wishes go to Lillian Curry who turned 104 years of age on December 10. Our special lady now resides at Hyland Crest Senior Citizens Home in Minden.

On September 12, 1945 in the Haliburton Town Hall, with many visitors present, 31 people were initiated into the Order. All members were either Master Masons or the mothers, sisters, wives, daughters or grand-daughters of Master Masons. Our membership included men and women from all over the area and we became part of District 21.

The aim of Highland Chapter, as is with all Eastern Star Chapters, is to be a benevolent association. We have membership dues and raise money through luncheons, card parties, bake sales, etc. Much of the money is given to needy families through the 4Cs and to other charitable organizations. We also donate to a scholarship under the name of Lillian Curry. It is given each year to a deserving student and is known as the Eastern Star Lillian Curry Scholarship for Languages.

If any member needs a ride to a Chapter meeting, call evenings - John Johnson, on Transportation, at 457-1208, Our Worthy Matron Nedean Bull at 457-2816, Our Worthy Patron Earle Casey at 457-1010 or our Secretary Eileen Pripp at 457-1920.

Our meetings are held in the Orange Hall, George Street, Haliburton at 8 p.m. on the last Wednesday of the month, except in July and August, and on the second Wednesday in December. We welcome all members and wish everyone a very happy Christmas and a Blessed New Year.

Third world debt caused by top nations

Reflections
by David Suzuki

One thing that was made very clear during the Earth Summit in Rio last June, was the inseparable linkage between economics, poverty and environmental degradation.

The countries of the South quite properly refused to discuss their exploding population unless the North addressed its own disproportionate use of the world's resources and generation of pollutants. Unfortunately, the issues were "resolved" by deleting both from discussion.

The fact that air, water and living organisms are part of a global commons means that all of humankind is inextricably interconnected through them. The human and ecological tragedies overwhelming Somalia, Haiti, Nepal and Bangladesh are a canary's warning to the rest of the world while the economic and industrial plans of India, Brazil, China and the former Soviet Union and its allies, have vast implications for the planet's ecosphere.

Foreign aid is not a frill or indulgence of the rich countries, but a necessity to ensure a future for our children. Susan George is an economics analyst who specializes in the developing countries.

In her books "How the Other Half Dies" and "Fate Worse than Debt" she makes a powerful case that the misery of the South is created by global economics.

In an interview for "The Nature of Things", George described the current faith in the global economy as a religion based on dogma which obliges "everyone to believe in this doctrine in order to be saved."

The problem is that "we're letting the economy be outside the ecology and do whatever it likes. The economy has become the guiding principle ... powerful institutions like the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund are in a position to say if you don't believe our doctrine, you will not be saved. You will have no new loans. You'll have no opportunity to participate in the world system."

But economics is a disaster because it isn't founded on the finite limits of a biophysical world. The economic institutions created by the rich countries are failures because "people are more miserable. More people are marginalized. More people are excluded. More people are going hungry. And they've even failed in financial terms. The debt is much greater than it was when they began imposing all these systems."

In George's opinion, "We are waging war on the Third World. The debt has become an instrument to keep these countries under control ... It is a political tool which has obliged all of the debtor countries to toe the line and to do the will of the northern creditors. It's much more efficient than colonialism."

Her statement is corroborated by a reading of Agenda 21, the Earth Summit prescription to save the planet's environment. The 20 per cent of the world's population in the industrialized nations amass over 80 per cent of the global wealth, consume most of the planet's resources and generate most of its waste and pollution.

Agenda 21 calls for an annual commitment of $600 billion, yet most of it will come from the South who are being asked to ante up three-quarters of the money representing 10 per cent of their collective GDP. Meanwhile, the rich countries, whose GDP is almost three times larger, reluctantly agreed to committing 0.7 per cent of it, a goal already set 20 years ago and only met by the Scandinavian countries. It is obscene and unjust.

Now consider George's devastating analysis of what the global economy has already done for the South.

"In 1982, the whole of what is still called the Third World, the southern hemisphere owed $900 billion in debt.

"From 1982 until the end of 1991, that's 10 calendar years, these countries paid back $1.496 trillion in debt service. Their only reward for paying back that amount of debt was to find themselves owing $1.478 trillion, an increase of 64 per cent over what they owed in 1982. In other words, you can't win.

"If you take the debt of sub-Saharan Africa over that same decade, you find an increase of 123 per cent in spite of the fact that sub-Saharan Africa somehow, and at enormous human costs, scraped together nearly a billion dollars every month for its creditors.

"Sub-Saharan Africa, according to the OECD, paid back $950 million on average every month for 120 months between `82 and the end of `91. And their reward is to be 123 per cent more in debt than they were 10 years ago. The very poorest, too, paid back $300 million a month, every month. And they're 150 per cent more in debt than they were. So you simply can not grow out of your debt."

How did this come about and how do we get out of it?

Some suggestions from Susan George next week.

This year, ride safe and ride sober

Drainville Diary
A report from Queen's Park
With Dennis Drainville, MPP

The deaths of two Ontarians in separate snowmobile mishaps already this winter signals the continuing need for greater community involvement in Ontario's second annual Snowmobile safety Campaign.

This year's 'Ride Safe, Ride Sober' campaign launched October 22 in Sudbury, emphasizes that snowmobile safety across the province depends on effective coordination at the local level. To help local groups establish their own safety events and campaigns, the Ontario Snowmobile Safety Committee, an organization funded in part by the provincial government, is supplying community action kits.

Examples of community events or projects associated with the safety campaign include Snowfest in Haliburton on February 5-7 and Yamafest, the same weekend in Sudbury. The two events are expected to attract hundreds of participants from across the province.

The statistics relating to snowmobile collisions in Ontario are alarming: 113 people killed and 1,316 injured between 1988 and 1991.

The first of this year's snowmobile tragedies occurred November 3 when a teenager was killed and three others sent to hospital after a snowmobile collision in Fort Frances. The second fatality occurred when a snowmobiler plunged through the ice December 5 on Clear Lake, northwest of Sturgeon Falls.

I am distressed to hear about these tragedies, but I take heart in seeing so many communities and clubs respond by urging people to think safety first before heading out on their snowmobiles.

To help promote its message, the safety committee has organized a new province-wide Snowmobile Safety Contest featuring a 1993 Yamaha Phazer Deluxe Snowmobile as the grand prize.

Participants are being asked to answer questions relating to snowmobile safety. Ballots can be found at Yamaha dealerships and local snowmobile clubs.

The winning entry will be drawn by Toronto Maple Leafs captain Wendel Clark during National Snowmobile Safety Week in February.

The Ontario Snowmobile Safety Committee is spending a total of $125,000 on the campaign this season.

I would like to wish everyone peace and happiness for the holiday season and a safe and prosperous 1993.

Check your car's battery or you could be stalled

With the winter season already in progress, the Canadian Standards Association (CSA) would like to remind consumers to check their car block heaters, battery warmers and in-car heaters for safe operation.

Consumers should check for signs of deterioration caused by road salt, impact dents, missing parts, damaged power cords and improper operation of the heaters. To ensure safe operation, heaters must be installed according to the manufacturer's specifications and instructions, provided with heaters. Consumers should check periodically to ensure that required clearances from heater vents to combustible materials are required.

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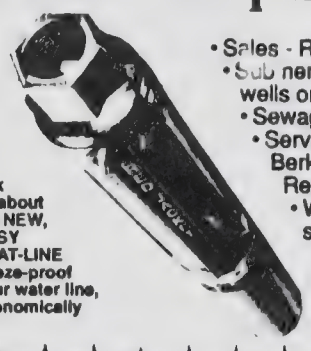

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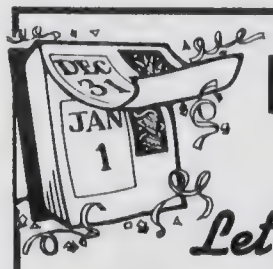

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Around the County Town

by Jeanne Sears (call 286-1538)

Old friend Yvonne Guida called to tell us she is a proud grandmother for the 13th time. A daughter was born December 19 to Deborah and Brian Ashley in California and Yvonne says the 7 lb baby already has the potential to be a opera singer!

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Club 35 euchre game winners for December 21 included Garth Windsor for most lone hands, Olive Daniels and Pat Scadden high lady and man and Hazel Gregory, Wally Harpur and Ray Brown. The 50-50 went to Helen Windsor and special prizes were awarded to Grace Cowen and Garth Windsor. The next euchre games will be held January 4.

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David and Kay McCreadie and Bill Beers travelled to Fergus and Elora recently then to Waterloo. The Scots are enjoying the crisp Canadian winter and are looking forward to travelling a bit during their stay.

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Ed Hisson visited his daughter Marilyn and grandchildren Scott and Charlene over the Christmas season.

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Bridge winners at Stanhope December 22 were Pearl Foster, Russ Fair and Betty Culley. The next games will be held January 5 at 1 p.m

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Stanhope Senior club dinner for 125 was a great success. The next luncheon is January 11 at 12 noon so get your reservations in early. Helen Henderson will speak on Home Support programmes and service and starting January 4 the Pastime Club is open at Stanhope Firehall from 1-4 p.m.

All seniors are welcome, come out for coffee and friendship. Next bid euchre games at Stanhope are January 6 at 7 p.m.

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Mr and Mrs. Gerald Hicks and Bessie Burk spent last weekend in Oshawa and Unionville with relatives.

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Bud Dart of Haliburton visited the Bob Vicks on his way to Newcastle for a visit with his son Howard and family.

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Sincere sympathy to the family and friends of the late Annie Mitchell whose funeral was last week.

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Mr and Mrs Don Maw and boys from Red Lake are enjoying a visit with her parents Ron and Shirley Cox and his relatives in Peterborough.

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Good wishes to Shirley and Bill Demuth, Jean Anderson, Tim Woods, Helen Johnson, Alice Morrison, Irene Duncan, Jim Grant, Harold Dickson, Reg and Muriel Welch. Glad to see that Ruth Samarillo is going without her cane.

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On Saturday night, some of us at The Terrace heard music and we rushed out and heard the group of carollers on the fire truck singing in the pouring rain! They went around by Hyland Crest and through town. We enjoyed this very much although we were really surprised. What a great idea!

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Last Saturday afternoon Terrace residents enjoyed music with Pastor Ross Fogwell and his wife Debbie and three girls and Louise Leonard. They entertained us with songs, violin solos and duets and a singalong. These people are from Norland Baptist Church and we thank them very much for coming and look forward to future visits.

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Shirley Graham and boys from Burnt River had a nice visit with Dorothy McElwain recently.

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Bert Milburn of Matheson is spending his Christmas holidays with his mother, Dorothy Milburn.

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Father Brian and some members of St. Paul's Anglican Church Choir held a service with the residents at Hyland Crest on Tuesday, December 22 in the chapel. The choir also sang Christmas carols at the I.G.A. on Wednesday, December 23.

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Some Christmas thoughts from a magazine I was reading:

A good memory should be like a sieve, the sand should go through but the best nuggets are retained.

When you throw out the tree, don't throw away the Christmas spirit.

This is the season when it would be nice if as many smiles were flashed as credit cards.

Christmas meaning is how much good thoughts you put into it and then your memories will be good ones.

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We seem to follow the Americans in nearly everything. Soon we will have two letters for our provinces in the mail and here they are: NF (Newfoundland), NS (Nova Scotia), PE (Prince Edward Island), NB (New Brunswick), PQ (Quebec), ON(Ontario), MB (Manitoba), SK (Saskatchewan), AB (Alberta), BC (Britsh Columbia), YT (Yukon Territory) and NT (Northwest Territories). More changes for us to learn.

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Gelert Centre will have euchre games at 7 p.m. on December 29.

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One Big Day over and another coming this week — So here's a great big wish to one and all, may your New Year be a happy and healthy one!

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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH

PUBLIC NOTICE

File # SR-3/92

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth, proposes to enact a by-law to stop up, close and convey to the abutting property owners a portion of the original allowance for road set out and described as follows:

FIRSTLY: ALL and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Lutterworth, in the County of Haliburton and being composed of part of the original sixty-six foot shore road allowance along the shore of Gull Lake, lying in front of Part of Lot 20, Concession 10, and being more particularly described as Parts 1 & 2 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of the County of Haliburton as Plan #19R-5651.

THE PROPOSED BY-LAW will come before the said Council for consideration at its Regular Meeting to be held at the Municipal Office, located three miles south of Minden on Highway #35 on the 7th of January, 1993, at the hour of 4:00 p.m. and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Lutterworth this 8th day of December, 1992.

Mary Jane Irwin, A.M.C.T. (A),
Clerk-Treasurer,
Township of Lutterworth,
P.O. Box 850,
MINDEN, Ontario,
K0M 2K0

NOTICE

Public Information Meeting
Environmental Assessment
Ontario Camp Leadership Centre
Bark Lake (Irondale, Ontario)
Glamorgan Township,
County of Haliburton

The Ontario Ministry of Government Services proposes to retrofit the Ontario Camp Leadership Centre at Bark Lake for year round use. This requires the expansion and upgrading of the existing water supply and sewage collection/ treatment systems.

A public information meeting will be held from *7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at Bark Lake Ontario Camp Leadership Centre (OCLC) on January 11, 1993* for the purpose of discussing the proposed project. All interested parties or agencies are encouraged to attend to provide input.

The Environmental Protection Act requires that an Environmental Study Report be prepared as part of the Class Environmental Assessment. An interim report has been prepared that considers design concepts for the preferred alternatives and their environmental impacts. A copy of this report is available for review at the Bark Lake OCLC or at the office of R.J. Burnside & Associates Limited.

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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE

(File# 91-15)
THORN & SHEPPARD

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and IN THE MATTER OF a proposed By-law of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowners portions of the original allowance for road along the shore of Kashagawigamog Lake lying in front of Part of Lot 22, Concession 4, in the Township of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 301 (1) (a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1980, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden proposes to consider and, if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario on January 14, 1993 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. a By-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Parts of the original allowance for road along the shore of Kashagawigamog Lake in front of Lot 22, Concession 4, in the Township of Minden, in the County of Haliburton, designated as Parts 3 & 4 on a plan of survey completed by Paul Wilson on July 15, 1991.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said By-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above mentioned, the Council shall then and there hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor, or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said By-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Minden this 30th day of November, 1992.

Ms. Tammy McKelvey, A.M.C.T.
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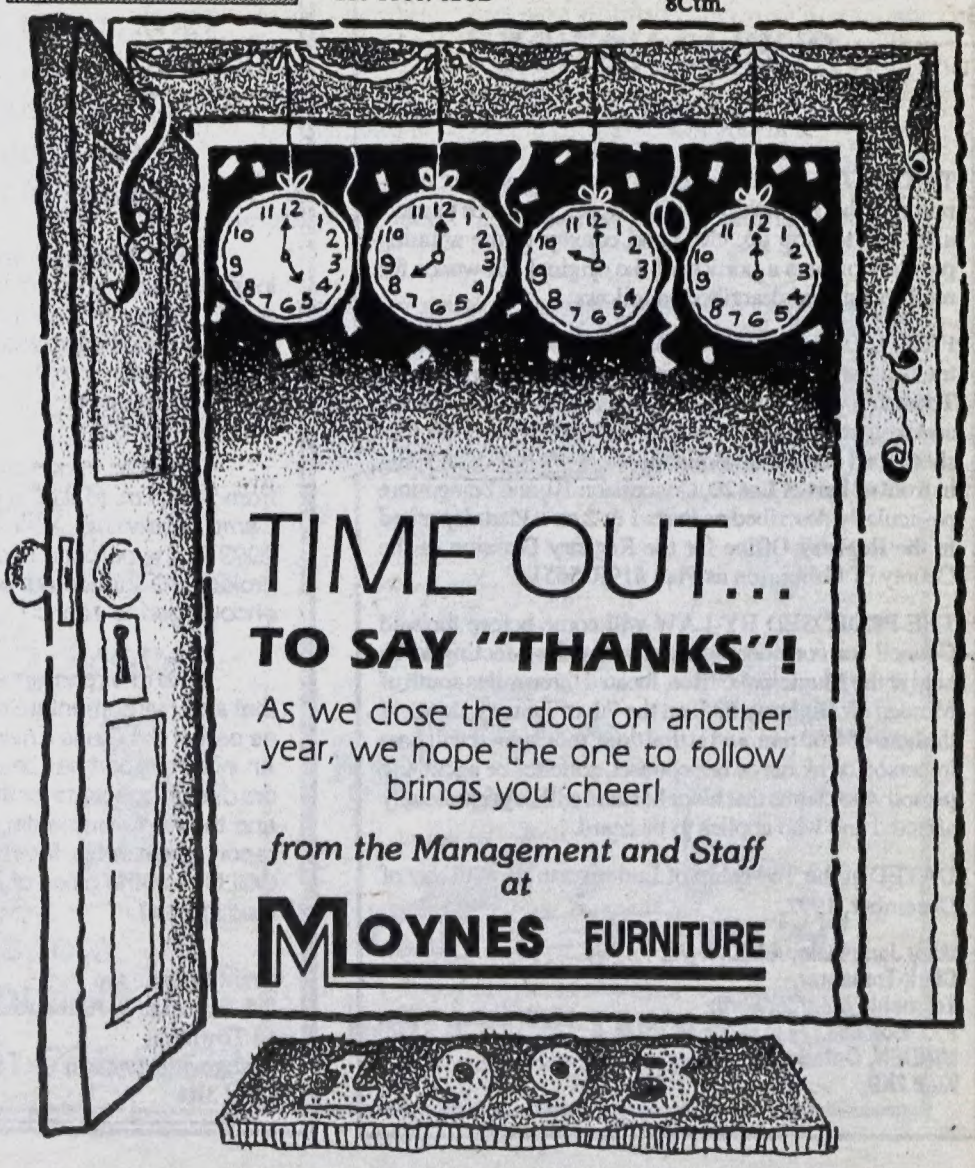

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The O.M.H.A. Atoms would like to thank everyone who helped make our hockey tournament a success. Special thanks to the Moms and Dads who prepared the meals and helped with the dressing rooms, the older brothers who kept the time clock running smoothly all day, Bill Hogg and Ray Miscio who kept everything on time and clean and Ray Downs for supporting us all the way.
A very special thank you to the Atom Tri-County team, who saved our tournament by filling in at last minute.

Tony and Trudy Penick wish to thank everyone who helped them out of a bad accident. A special thanks to the fire department, they were there in a matter of minutes, knew what to do and were very quick about it. Great team work. Thanks!

CARDS OF THANKS

I would like to thank the firemen and all the helpers for the nice carol singing in the rain Saturday night. I think it was a nice gesture. I know I appreciated it. Thank you all!
Beaulah Hewitt.

AT REST

DIXON
Harold Grant
(Past Master Birchcliffe Lodge, Charter Member Confederation Lodge and Member of Rameses Temple) peacefully at the Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay on Wednesday, December 23, 1992, in his 85th year, beloved husband of Grace and the late Pattie, dear father of Barbara and her husband Arnold Brillinger of Timmins, dear stepfather of Diane and Doug. Forbes and Dale Turton, loving grandfather of John and Anna, predeceased by Kenneth, great grandfather of Clara Brillinger, brother of Gladys, predeceased by Frank, Lena, Bertha, Fred Florence, Beatrice and Laura. Rested at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home, Minden, Saturday, December 26. Funeral service was held Sunday, December 27 at 2:00 p.m. Cremation. Memorial donations to the Diabetic Association would be appreciated.

IN MEMORIAM

TRUMBULL, Anthony John (Tony)
October 4, 1970 - January 5, 1992

I have a Place in Heaven
Please don't sing sad songs for me,
Forget your grief and fears,
For I am in a perfect place,
Away from pain & tears...
I'm far away from hunger
And hurt and want and pride,
I have a place in heaven
With the Master at my side.
My life on earth was very good,
As earthly lives can go,
But Paradise is so much more,
Than anyone can know.
My heart is filled with happiness,
And sweet rejoicing too,
To walk with God, in perfect peace,
A joy forever new.

Loved and sadly missed by Teri, Shawn and Danny.

IN MEMORIAM

SEDGWICK: In loving memory of a dear husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather, Elgin Dawson, who passed away December 21, 1989.
We have not lost the one we love,
He is only gone before,
Where there is everlasting life,
Where sorrow is no more.
And there his soul will always live,
And peace is everywhere,
We did not lose the one we love,
God has him in His care.
Forever loved by wife Clara and family.

ROWDEN: In loving memory of Junior, my dear son, who left us suddenly December 26, 1988.
Today the sun shines down
On a grave not far from here,
Where someone sleeps we could not save,
And always loved so dear.
Our thoughts are always with you
Your place no one can fill
In life we loved you dearly
In death, we love you still.
If roses grow in Heaven Lord
Just pick a bunch from us.
And gently lay them in his arms
And tell him they are from us.

Always loved and sadly missed, Mom.

IN MEMORIAM

ROWDEN: In loving memory of our dear brother, Junior, lost to us December 26, 1988.
Fond are the ties that are broken,
Dear is the one that is gone,
In memory we shall keep him
As long as the years roll on.
As we loved him, so we miss him,
In our memory he is dear,
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